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DAYLIGHT ROBBERY.

Two Men Enter House, Overpower Lone Woman and Steal $75.

DARING CRIME IN ULSTER TWP.

Two Strangers Visit Home of David Gray and Finding Mrs. Gray Alone, Bind and Gag Her, Ransack the House and Make Good Their Escape

A daring robbery was committed on Oak Hill, two miles west of Ulster, Thursday morning. Mrs David Gray, aged about 45 years, was bound and gagged in her own home, the house ransacked and about $75 taken. The deed was committed by two strangers. It was one of the most daring robberies ever committed in this county.

David Gray is one of Ulster township's most progressive and prominent farmers. He lives on what is known as Oak Hill, about two miles west of Ulster village. The family consists of Mr. and Mrs. Gray and children, and Mrs. Gray's mother.

On Thursday morning Mr. Gray shouldered his gun and started for the woods to take advantage of the opening of the hunting season. The children were out in a field some distance from the house gathering chestnuts.

Mrs. Gray was busy with her work, when she was startled by the appearance of two strangers, who had unceremoniously entered the house and taken firm hold of her. She was quickly bound and gagged, and left lying on the floor, while the men ransacked the house, securing $75. They seemed satisfied, and left the place as quietly as they came.

A short time later the children returned from the nutting expedition and found their mother bound and gagged, lying helpless on the floor. She was liberated and the alarm given, but no trace of the robbers could be found.

From where Mrs. Gray was lying, she could no see which direction the men took in leaving the premises They were total strangers to her, and she describes them as being well dressed, one about 35 years and the other much younger. It is believed that they were either en route to or from Towanda, and while skulking about the Gray premises saw Mr. Gray and the children leave the house, and thinking that Mrs. Gray would be alone, swooped down on her, and robbed the place.

Mrs. Gray is a very cultured woman, and for several years was a school director of Ulster township, having the distinction of being the only lady director in Bradford county. She was not injured by the robbers.

Has Been Free to All Parties.

Inasmuch as one of the Towanda papers has called attention to the fact and made complaint about the Towanda Republican club using the grand jury room for a meeting place, it is only fair to the county commissioners to state that the Republicans, Democrats, Prohibitionists, and Local Optionists have been accorded the same privilege. The Democrats used the grand jury room for their county convention, the Prohibitionists and Local Optionists the main court room for their meetings, as did the Republicans. The agricultural society has held their meeting in the grand jury room, also the county medical society, and are welcome to do so again, as are the different political parties. The building has not been damaged thereby, and there is really no cause to find fault with the commissioners on this score.

Review small ads pay.

"YORKY" JOHNSON JAILED.

Man Charged With Complicity in a Brutal Crime Captured.

Walter Johnson, alias "Yorky," one of the three men who are alleged to have tortured an aged farmer named Edwin Hartley at his home in Glenwood, Susquehanna county, by applying a hot ploughshare to the soles of his feet in order to extract an admission from him where $1,000 was hidden, was arrested Tuesday at Horton's Switch, N. Y., and is now in the Susquehanna county jail at Montrose.

The crime in which "Yorky" and his companions Wandell and Thompson are alleged to have participated was committed on the night of Saturday, Aug. 22.

Thompson and Wandall were arrested immediately after the perpetration of the crime, but "Yorky" stuck to the woods and swamps in the neighborhood of Foster, Nicholson and Glenwood and remained there it is supposed a week or more. He was encountered once or twice but warded off his pursuers with a revolver in each hand. "Yorky" was located at the place at which he was arrested a few days ago, and Constable William Bennett of Susquehanna, being informed of the fact, went in search of the man. "Yorky" offered resistance, but the constable being accompanied by a posse of citizens, heavily armed, it was capture or death for "Yorky," and he preferred a trial to summary execution and surrendered.

Corporation Has Sold 100,000 Acres.

With the recent purchase of 21,000 acres of forest land in Clearfield, Elk and Cameron counties, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania has purchased from the Pennsylvania Joint Lumber and Land company 100,000 acres situated in Lycoming, Tioga, Potter, Clinton, Cameron and Clearfield counties. This large body of land includes all the holdings of the Pennsylvania Joint Lumber and Land company in this state and is said to be the intention of this corporation to close out their business and surrender their charter. These lands are better known as the Dodge lands and were owned, prior to this corporation, by Dodge, James & Stokes. With this last purchase the Commonwealth now owns about 900,000 acres.

Athens Won Foot Ball Game.

The foot ball season in Towanda was opened Saturday afternoon when teams representing Athens and Towanda High schools, met on the East Side gridiron. After a hotly contested game, Athens was returned a winner by a 10-0 score. The visitors were too heavy for the locals, but even at that it was a good game. The Towanda line is too light to buck against such weight as they were pitted against on Saturday.

State Treasury Balance.

The state streasury balance at the close of September business was $10,782,757.83. This is a decrease as compared with August, but explained by the heavy payments of school appropriations. The aggregate of disbursements for the month was almost five and a quarter millions. The record for payments being broken by State Treasurer Sheatz, who has paid all districts which have filed reports.

Unique Bet.

A Republican and Democrat had a little argument on Main street Saturday, and both vouched an opinion as to who will be the next President. The Republican was so sure that Taft is the man that he made a bet whereby if Bryan wins, he will make an accurate count of every nail and tack on the inside of the wagon bridge which crosses the river at Towanda. Should Taft be the man, then the Democrat will count the nails and tacks.

$100 REWARD

Without desiring to trespass in any way upon the duties of those who have in charge the management of our policies I feel constrained to take cognizance of what is only too obvious to all who have any knowledge whatever of what is going on in our local politics. I refer to the wide spread and flagrant use of money in this campaign. Because of this I make the following offer with the hope of at least checking, if not altogether stopping, this grave and criminal abuse of the electorial right.

I therefore offer a reward of one hundred ($100) dollars to any person or persons who will furnish sufficient evidence to indict and convict any person who shall, directly or indirectly, give, or offer to give any gift or reward, money or other valuable consideration, to any elector, with the intent to induce him to vote for any particular candidate or candidates at the elecion to be held November 3, 1908, or who shall directly or indirectly procure or agree to give any such gift, reward, money or other valuable consideration to such elector with the intent aforesaid, or who shall with the intent to influence or intimidate such elector to give his vote for any particular candidate or candiadtes at said election, give, offer or promise to give such elector, any office, place or appointment or employment, or threaten such elector with discharge or dismissal from any office, place, appointment or employment, public or private, then held by him, in case of his refusal to vote for any particular candidate or candidates at said election.

O. D. KINNEY.

Athens, Pa., Sept. 17, 1908.

SULLIVAN'S MARCH.

Memorial Boulder Unveiled on Saturday at Wysox Church.

BY CLYMER CHAPTER, D. A. R.

Marking the Route of General Sullivan's Expedition Against the Indians —The Chapter Entertained at Luncheon—Judge Fanning Spoke.

One hundred and twenty-nine years ago Sunday evening the victorious Continental army under General Sullivan, camped at Wysox on the ground lying between the road leading to the Wysox bridge and that leading to Standing Stone. Two months earlier, Aug. 9, 1779, this same army in its toilsome march through the wilderness against the Six Nations confederacy, had encamped upon this same ground.

On Saturday afternoon, with appropriate ceremonial, George Clymer Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, of Towanda, unveiled a boulder and tablet in memory of the achievements and to mark the route of the heroic patriot general and his equally heroic soldiers. The day was marked with ideal October weather, and the attendance of many members of Tioga Chapter, D. A. R., of Athens, Tunkhannock Chapter of Tunkhannock, and citizens in general attested the interest felt in the event.

The boulder is of Barclay sandstone, about six feet square, although somewhat irregular in shape and bears on the slightly sloping top face a bronze tablet 22x26 inches, bearing this inscription:

"This stone commemorates the passing through Wesauking on Aug. 9 and Oct. 4, 1779, of Major General John Sullivan and his troops, in the military expedition against the Six Nations.

"The glorious achievements we have exhibited in extending our conquests so far will make no inconsiderable balance even in the present politics of America. Its future good consequences I leave to the eloquence of time to declare, which will in ages hence celebrate the memory of a conquest, the real good effects and advantages of which posterity will particularly enjoy.—Journal of Lieut. Col. Adam Hubley, of the advance guard of Sullivan's army.

"Erected Oct. 4, 1908, by the George Clymer Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, Towanda, Pa."

The boulder is located just outside the fence and in front of the Old Brick Church at Wysox. Its location is particularly fitting in that the church is one of the first established in the country, and that in the churchyard lie buried six Revolutionary soldiers. It stands but a few rods East of the actual path followed by the army, and is the 27th marker erected on the lines of the three expeditions.

The formal dedication and unveiling took place at 2 o'clock, and was in charge of Mrs. S. Randall, regent of George Cylmer Chapter. Prayer was offered by Rev. Davies, pastor of the Brick Church. Mrs. Rendall then read an address in which she outlined the historical facts, touched upon the undying patriotism and courage of the army, and the lesson and the benefits they brought to the present generation. The regent spoke of the pardonable pride taken in the memorial by Clymer Chapter, many of whose members are direct descendants of men who followed Sullivan, and as she lifted the large flag which covered the stone, she formally dedicated it to the memory of the heroes of that march and as a reminder to the present generation of the principles for which they suffered.

Judge Fanning's Address.

The orator of the day was Judge A. C. Fanning. After the unveiling the company repaired to the church, where the address was given. Judge Fanning, in opening his address, paid a just compliment to the patriotism of the women of America throughout all its history; to their steadfast courage and self-sacrifice he ascribed much of the success of American arms. He sketched the far reaching results of Sullivan's splendidly executed campaign, and gave a brief outline of conditions as they existed at that time.

Major-General John Sullivan was a native of New Hampshire, of Irish extraction, and history points him out as the first white man to haul down the British flag in America, and first to be in open revolt against the crown. Sullivan's expedition was one of three armies sent out, all planned to form a junction at Tioga Point, the Southern door of the Indian Confederacy. General Broadhead started from Pittsburg, General Clinton from the Mohawk Valley to Otsego and down the river, and Sullivan from Wyoming.

General Sullivan's army of nearly four thousand men left Wyoming on July 31, 1779, poorly provisioned and clothed. Aug. 5, it crossed the Tuscarora creek and camped that night on the site of the Moravaian settlement at Wyalusing, the headquarters being in the old Kingsley house, the ruins of which are yet to be seen. The army remained there two days, leaving on Aug. 8, that night camping opposite the Standing Stone rock. The main body of the army reached Wysox on Aug. 9. It consisted of 220 boats on which was loaded the artillery and stores, manned by 450 boatmen and with a guard of 250 riflemen, 3,000 soldiers, 2,000 horses and 700 head of cattle.

What it meant to move such an army through the primeval wilderness cannot be appreciated by present day dwellers in the Susquehanna valley. The army crossed the swamp a few rods West of the site of the boulder to higher ground, followed west to the defile at the back of Table Rock and to the river near the site of the James street bridge. Two days were spent at Sheshequin, and then the real object of the expedition was in sight and its wok begun. The battle of Newtown, the destruction of more than 40 villages and the great stores of grain and the growing crops through Southern and Central New York are matters of history. Fort Sullivan was built at Tioga Point as a base. General Clinton and General Poor of Sullivan's army formed a junction at Union, and their combined forces marched westward, completing the destruction of the Indian and Tory power between Union and Geneseo.

Sept. 30 the victorious troops returned to Fort Sullivan. Oct. 2 a celebration and feast, with games and much rejoicing was held. Fort Sullivan was demolished and on Oct. 4 the army started on its return. That evening it again encamped at Wysox. Next day the army embarked on boats and two days later reached Wyoming, being received with a great demonstration. Sullivan and his army received the thanks of congress and a day of thanksgiving was observed in New England.

Sullivan was afterward attorney-general, elected to congress, was president of that body, three times governor of his native state, and closed his career as judge of the United States district court.

Luncheon Preceded Unveiling.

The unveiling of the boulder was preceded by a most delightful luncheon served at 12 o'clock by George Clymer Chapter at the home of Mrs. Louis Piollet, at Wysox. Mrs. Piollet, who is a member of Tunkhannock Chapter, D. A. R., opened her beautiful home for the use of the local chapter. Covers were laid for 130, the tables being decorated with pink asters and the rooms hung with flags. As guests of George Clymer Chapter there were 60 members of Tioga Chapter, Athens, four members of Tunkhannock Chapter, and Rev. and Mrs. D. Davies, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Piollet, Judge and Mrs. A. C. Fanning, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Reed, Mrs. Swoyer of Wilkes-Barre, Rodney A. Mercur, Dr. J. D. Mercur, Charles L. Tracy, John W. Codding and R. H. Laning. The five gentlemen last named are members of the Sons of the American Revolution.

The luncheon was gracefully served by daughters of members of George Clymer Chapter, who wore white badges bearing the title and emblem of the chapter. About 130 were seated at one time, and in all 150 were served.

Adding greatly to the success of the day was the kindness of Mrs. Piollet opening her home and the courtesy of the Lehigh Valley Railroad company in stopping both trains Nos. 8 and 7 at Wysox station for the accommodation of visitors.

Music Was a Feature.

A most enjoyable feature was the singing. "America" was sung by the entire assemblage at the opening of the exercises, and in the church Mrs. R. H. Williams gave a splendid rendering of Kipling's "Recessional," and "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," the audience joining the chorus of the latter. Mention of the music, which was in charge of Mrs. Williams, was through an oversight omitted from The Review's account of the dedication.

FATAL ACCIDENT AT LACEYVILLE

Jonah Santee, Creamery Employee, Struck by Lehigh Train No. 8.

Jonah Santee, a well known and respected resident of Laceyville, was struck by a Lehigh passenger train No. 8, at that place, Saturday morning, and received injuries which caused his death a couple of hours later.

Mr. Santee was employed as fireman at the Bradford County Creamery at Laceyville. The creamery stands close to th etracks of the Lehigh, and Santee had crawled under the creamery platform to get a board and was backing out. As he reached the track No. 8 thundered by, striking him full force.

The train was stopped, Santee was picked up and Lehigh Surgeon, Dr. Sturdevant, of Laceyville, made an examination, ordering the injured man taken to the City hospital at W Barre, where he died at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Deceased is survived by a wife and two children.

Severing the Bonds.

A divorce was granted Monday Sarah M. Burns from her husband, L. G. Burns, on the grounds of cruelty. Both parties reside in Canton. Subpoenas in divorce have been awarded in the following cases: Esther H. Drummond vs. John W. Drummond; Elizabeth A. Moose vs. Joel L. Moose; Nettie D. Bump vs. John D. Bump.

COL. C. C. PRATT.

Republican Candidate For Congress From This District.

RECORDS AND QUALIFICATIONS

Something About the Man Who Will Represent the Old Wilmot-Grow District in the Next Congress—Makes Friends Wherever He Goes.

The Fourteenth Congressional District of Pennsylvania is known in history as the "Wilmot-Grow District" and is recognized throughout the country as possessing both Republicans and Democrats of the best and highest type. Besides Wilmot and Grow it has been represented by some able men and in the present contest the Republican party has selected for its standard bearer a man who will augment the useful and distinguished work already credited to this District on the records of our national legislature.

Colonel Charles C. Pratt, the Republican nominee was born in the pretty village of New Milford, Susquehanna county, has lived there all his life beloved and respected to such a remarkable degree that only three votes were cast against him in the primaries and these will probably make it unanimous when "the vote that elects" is cast.

No home in Susquehanna county is more hospitable than that of Colonel Pratt. With a refined and noble-hearted wife, surrounded by four bright and attractive children he receives his friends and neighbors in this old-fashioned country residence with a cordiality and kindness that marks the perfect gentleman and agreeable host. No one leaves his hearth without feeling that he has left the presence of a sincere and honest man, possessing a bright mind, a brave heart and a wide knowledge of public affairs. Genial in his every day life, sympathetic in nature, and kindly in thought, he has won a host of admirers who see in him a successful citizen against whom one hears no word of reproach.

Colonel Pratt possesses every quality necessary for a useful Congressman. He has served on the staff of

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two governors of Pennsylvania and made a wide circle of friends. He is approachable and ever receptive of wholesome advice. The spirit of harmony and good will is a part of his life. He is an honest, loyal and sincere Republican from principle. He believes in an honestly adjusted non-factional fighting organization. His influence, exercisd in the spirit of justice to all, will have a wholesome effect throughout the entire district. He will be able to do this because he makes friends as fast as men meet him. His power in this respect will develope a telling force, not only in this district, but in his Congressional life, for the strongest man in Congress is the one who makes friends because he is worthy of them, and that force is the greatest lever for doing things worth doing, known in the business operations of the House.

Colonel Pratt has been interested in farming pursuits for many years and understands the true interests of the farmer. He is familiar with the wants of the mechanic and artisan and workman because he has been an employer of labor ever since he reached manhood, and among his strongest friends are his old employees. The tobacco growers and dairy intersets of Wyoming and Bradford counties will find in him a faithful friend in the Congressional contests that are sure to arise by the action of the Democratic party affecting these great interests, and our manifold industrial enterprises, which are auso to fall the heavy hand of the National Democracy, will receive his sympathy and watchful care.

The Republican candidate is in the prime of life, blessed with sturdy health derived from clean and wholesome living, which renders him capable of untiring industry in behalf of the people. He has a good education and intellgence, and through his strong personality will have the power to guard the best interests of all when affected by executive or congressional action.

Colonel Pratt's nomination was clearly a voice of a large majority of this district. It was a clean and emphatic nomination. He made no pledges or promises to any man or men. He would never have consented to stand for Congress unless left free to the right as he sees the right. He will play absolutely fair in every adjustment of political questions and differences among his supporters. No man will be deprived of his just claim and honest dues. Congressman Pratt will never jump at conclusions, but weigh, consider and decide all questions with an honest desire to reach a just result. This has been his reputation in the past. He will not hurt it in the future. He is conducting a clean and honorable canvass, and will have the support of every true Republican. He will make an honorable representative. That is what the old Wilmot-Grow district deserves and the people are determined that it shall be realized.

One thought more, the word of Colonel Pratt is as good as gold. His neighbors say this and they are the best judges. He never toys with a pepper corn under the impression that he is moving a planet, and never troubles himself with the enigmas of theories but is practical in all the affairs of life. He sees in Congress the great business office of the people where national affairs should be administered on business principles and in a spirit of strict economy and integrity. To him public service for private gain is a malignant ulcer on the body politic and must be knifed, and he will show to all forms of political and corporate immorality the same tireless opposition that has characterized his fight against all evils that threaten the uplift of the race. If personal abuse enters this campaign it will not eminate from him. He will welcome honest comparison of his life and work with that of his Democratic opponent but the weapon of personal abuse will not be found in his arament. He knows that the intelligent electorate demands fair play and he will make an open and fair fight for the principles involved in this contest. He knows that the honest voters realize the importance of safe and sound policies of government. He feels that if every voter does his plain duty an old time victory will wipe out the anomaly of a Democratic congressman in the famous Republican stronghold of Wilmot and Grow. When that consumation is reached the Fourteenth District will come in to its own by possessing one of the most useful and popular representatives ever sent to Washington by this electorate.

Lehigh Classification Yards.

The Sayre Times-Record makes the statement, on reliable authority, that the Lehigh Valley Railroad company is preparing to build mammoth classification yards at Manchester, N. Y. The people in the vicinity of Sayre have been hoping that these yards, talked of wor a long time, would be located in either Sayre or East Waverly.

Legal blanks for sale at The Review.

FROM NEARBY PLACES

What is Occuring in Many Towns Hereabouts.

POULTRY RAISERS CURTAILING

The Owego Times Does Not Want Hewitt Home Transformed Into a Hospital—Big Revival Planned for Scranton.

It has been necessary to place additional seats in the Canton High school room.

It cost Hazleton $3,100 to entertain the State convention of the P. O. S. of A., recently.

The price of feed this Fall is causing many poultry raisers to sell off a portion of their stock.

Squirrels and rabbits are reported to be unusually plentiful this year, but birds are said to be scarce.

Marx Long, the Wilkes-Barre merchant, was 91 years old Thursday. He is the oldest merchant in the state.

The court has granted a charter to the Belmar Hose company, a volunteer firemens' organization of Canton borough.

The Owego Times is opposed to the transformation of the residence of the late Frederick C. Hewitt into a public library building.

C. T. Bennett, who was struck by a train on the old Lehigh bridge at Upper Towanda, has been discharged from the Packer hospital.

A Lackawanna county boy has been given a verdict for $7,500 against a coal company for whom he was working when he lost a hand through an accident.

Edward R. Griffith, recently captured while burglarizing a house at Scranton, has been identified as the burglar who robbed many houses in West Pittston.

The State Highway commission is drafting new laws to govern road repairs and improvements in the state. Six million dollars will be spent on state roads during the next four years.

The representatives of 46 of Scranton's churches have perfected plans which will mean the beginning of evangelistic services by Dr. A. Torrey in the early part of 1909 in a tabernacle to be erected in Scranton, to hold 5,000 people.

The people of Laceyville and vicinity are renewing their effort to have the river bridge at that place purchased by the county and tolls abolished, and will petition the coming session of court to have viewers appointed to that end.

Beginning November 1, that part of Williamsport west of Lycomng Creek, which has been known by the name of Newberry for more than a century, will lose its old name and become West Williamsport. The Pennsylvania railroad station at Newberry will have its name changed to West Williamsport on that date.

D. T. Evans

New Dress Goods

Fancy suitings, self and colored stripes in Herringbones, Broad cloths. Panamas, Chevrons, solels, plain suiting in great variety, including Chiffon, Broad cloth, Wool Taffeta, Vandyke cloth, all of the right styles and prices.

D. T. Evans

NEWS ITEMS FROM COUNTY TOWNS

ROME.

Born, Sept. 29, to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Eddy, a son.

Born, Sept 29, to Mr. and Mrs. James Lenox, a daughter.

Fred R. Powers of Sayre, is visiting his mother for several days.

Dolph Study was home from Apalachin Sunday.

George Forbes is repairing his new home on South Main street, and will occupy it in the near future.

Mrs. Dayton Allen of Towanda, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leander Maynard, Friday.

J. B. Eddy returned to his work in New York Saturday, after spending a week with his family in this place.

Murrey Clary of Elmira, returned to his home last week after spending several weeks with his brother, Lem. Clark, of this place; his health is greatly improved.

Communion services were administered by Rev. D. Davies at the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon.

Fritz Cannan spent Saturday and Sunday with his people, returning to his school Sunday evening.

Rev. Mr. Swingle of this place, filled the pulpit at the M. E. church Sunday.

FASSETT.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Seymour of Wellsburg, are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter, which was born Sept. 29.

Mrs. William Parkhurst of Footville, Wis., is visiting her daughters, Mrs. Nathaniel Reed of Fassett, and Mrs. Fred Waldo of Sylvania.

Miss Lizzie Suffern entertained the following on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Thompson of Corning, George Suffern and daughter, Mrs. Elton Gardner and brother, Bogart Suffern, of Elmira.

Miss Vera Golden is working in Elmira.

Mrs. Maud Thompson of Hendy Hollow, spent Sunday with her father, I. J. Mahaffey.

Mrs. Ella Perry and daughter, Minnie, visited friends at Austinville the greater part of the week.

Frank Combs of Montour, visited his parents Saturday.

James Kenyon is running the blacksmith shop.

Next Sunday Evangelist Fred Baker will conduct services in the church in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The Misses Lena Combs, Elizabeth Dillon and Louise Berk attended the play, Ben Hur, Wednesday evening at Elmira.

GROVER.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shoemaker and Mr. and Mrs. James Haxton visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rathbun last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Vermilya left for Delaware county Tuesday, and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Vermilya left for the same place Friday.

J. R. Ryder attended a ministerium last week at Hillsgrove.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bends of Sunbury, are visiting his parents on Pond Hill.

Thomas, young son of G. D. Owens, who has been sick for a couple of weeks, is improving.

Miss Laura Innes of Binghamton, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James H. Eastgate.

Dean Hoose is sick with tonsilitis.

George Wilcox and family attended the funeral of Elisha Holcomb, at LeRoy, Saturday.

SHORES HILL.

Mrs. Birney Weller and children, Edna and Ethel of Athens, and Miss Annie Johnson of Florida, spent the week's end at the home of Bird Shores.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gard and son Herman, of Endicott, N. Y., are visiting relatives here.

R. R. Moshier and Mrs. B. S. Gard of Endicott, spent Saturday with their sister, Mrs. H. C. Kilmer.

Mrs. Victor Campbell of Litchfield, spent Thursday night at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Childs.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gard entertained a large number of friends at dinner on Sunday. Among those present were B. S. Gard, wife and son of Endicott, N. Y., Mrs. Anna Biles of Auburn, N. Y., Mrs. Elizabeth Lewis of Powell, George Brown and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Brown.

Why James Lee Got Well.

Everybody in Zanesville, O., knows Mrs. Mary Lee, of rural route 8. She writes: "My husband, James Lee, firmly believes he owes his life to the use of Dr. King's New Discovery. His lungs were so severely affected that consumption seemed inevitable, when a friend recommended New Discovery. We tried it, and its use has restored him to perfect health." Dr. King's New Discovery is the King of throat and lung remedies. For coughs and colds it has no equal. The first dose gives relief. Try it! Sold under guarantee at Turner's Drug Store. 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

BURLINGTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Omera Shepard of Granville Center, visted their son, Dr. Shepard, and wife, last Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Putnam and daughter, Mary, and Miss Griffin of Towanda, visited the former's brother, J. A. Morley, a few days last week.

Mrs. Hannah Swingle visited with friends in Monroeton last week and took in the fair.

Mrs. E. N. Craig and son of Elmira, visited Mrs. Jud Wigsten this week.

In the basement of the M. E. church will be served the chicken pie or harvest supper Oct. 17. All are cordially invited.

There will be no preaching in the Methodist church next Sunday, as the pastor, Rev. Youell, is attending Conference.

BOURNE.

Miss Clara Bennett is spending two weeks with Mrs. Polly Durfey at Burlington.

Frank Simmons of North Towanda, is assisting Philo Bostwick with his fall work.

Miss Anna Foulke of West Burlington, is dressmaking for Mrs. E. L. Bourne.

Mrs. James Darrow and daughter, Ruth of Laurel Hill, spent Saturday and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Ross.

Mrs. Robert Campbell and daughter Alice visited at Burley Darrow's Saturday at Burlington.

Franklin Langford and wife, Mrs. Alice Dodd, Mrs. E. L. Bourne and son, Winfield, attended the Ladies' Aid at Abram Spencer's at Fairview on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Bostwick of North Towanda, spent Sunday at Robert Campbell's.

Miss Orlie Dodd of Sugar Run, is visiting Miss Delia Langford.

Lewis Kitchen and wife of Sayre, spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Langford.

Will Vosburg, wife and children of Smithfield, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Julius Brown.

ORWELL.

C. P. Chubbuck is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Fred Brown of Wilkes-Barre, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Green.

Robert Pettes of Canton, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pettes.

Miss Genevieve Cowles, who has been spending a short time in Philadelphia, returned home Saturday.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Nichols on Wednesday, Oct. 21, for dinner. Every one cordially invited.

Mrs. Lois Beers and daughter Flora, and Edna Wilbur, were shopping in LeRaysville Saturday.

Jack Cowles seems to be rather unfortunate. Saturday he was thrown from a horse and his arm broken. He was taken to Sayre where the fracture was reduced and he is doing as well as could be expected. This is the second time this same arm has been broken.

Rev. P. H. Brooks of Wilkes-Barre, preached in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning, and conducted a very interesting meeting in the M. E. church in the evening.

THOMPSON HILL.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Halstead of Ridgebury, were visiting at Jesse Carman's on Sunday last.

Frank and Fred Lewis of Elmira, have been visiting relatives in this place the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dewey of Bentley Creek, were visiting here on Sunday.

Miss Mary Seafuse has returned to her home in Elmira, after a few weeks' visit with relatives in this place. Her grandmother, Mrs. Walter Mason, accompanied her home.

She Likes Good Things.

Mrs. Charles E. Smith, of West Franklin ,Maine, says: "I like good things and have adopted Dr. King's New Life Pills as our family laxative medicine, because they are good and do their work without making a fuss about it." These painless purifiers sold at Turner's Drug Store. 25c.

LAUREL HILL.

C. C. West and family of Sayre, spent Saturday night and Sunday at the old home at Maple Row.

Merle Hubbard of Wetona, took dinner with Roy Weed Sunday.

Mrs. Belle Greening and children of Athens, were guests at George Weed's the last of the week.

Archie Smith spent two days last week with friends in New York state.

Miss Marcia Young, who has spent the summer at Frank Wright's, has gone to Sayre.

Lloyd Carpenter of Green's Landing, was up home Sunday.

Mrs. M. L. Arnold has gone to Wetona, to spend a few weeks with her brother, F. N. Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wright have gone to Canada on a pleasure trip and to visit Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Wood. Mrs. Wood is a niece of Mr. Wright and was formerly Carrie Partridge of this place.

Burt Havens has gone to Penn Yan to work.

EAST TOWANDA.

Reed Stevens of Wilkes-Barre, called at Charles Ross' Friday.

Mrs. Platt Osborne of Nichols, has returned home after spending Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Lucinda Reynolds.

The social club will meet with Mrs. Henry Johnson for dinner on Thursday.

Miss Grace Blodgett of Lestershire, was calling on friends here Monday.

Edwin Schoonover and wife of Sayre, spent Thursday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Schoonover.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Bosworth of LeRaysville, spent last week here.

Addison Arnold and wife of Athens, called at Walter Horton's Wednesday.

BLACK.

Mrs. Bennie Weller of Sayre, and Mrs. Johnson of Florida, spent Saturday and Sunday at Bird Shores'.

Mrs. Wallace Shores spent the past week with friends at Towanda.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Shores of Sayre, spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shores.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Horton will give them a tin shower Friday evening, Oct. 9, at the home of S. Wickwire; all are invited. Ladies bring cake or sandwiches.

HORNBROOK.

B. L. Gillette has been confined to his bed for a week with grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rogers and daughters, Ethel and Alice, of Towner Hill, spent Saturday and Sunday with the lady's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Pipher.

The Ladies' Aid society of Hornbrook, will give an ice cream and cake social Friday evening, Oct. 9, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brigham.

The meeting of the people to elect officers for the Cemetery association has been postponed and will be held at E. H. Brigham's, Friday evening in connection with the social. All interested try to come.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gillette and Edward and Mattie Robinson visited at L. C. Robinson's Sunday, near Athens.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Johnson of Sayre, were guests of the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gillette, Saturday and Sunday.

Norman Wagner of Sayre, is visiting his nephew, E. S. Morris, at Quarry Glen.

Mrs. Olive Horton of Elmira, was visiting in Hornbrook the past week, but returned Sunday to resume her duties as nurse in a private family.

Ethel Wanck and Emma Sell attend school at Ulster.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Morris have moved from Stony Lonesome and are now settling in Horace Horton's house at Quarry Glen.

Clinton Gerould and son, D. A. Gerould, are doing some very nice jobs of threshing with their new machine.

I. P. Chaffee is putting concrete floors in the basement of his barn.

U. D. Horton is beginning the work of enlarging his store; also to add more rooms to the dwelling part.

Little Frances Louise Robinson, who had an attack of cholera infantum, is now well again.

DOTY HILL.

Mrs. John McHenry of Elmira, visited Mrs. Murry Feathers the last of the week. She was joined by her husband Sunday and they spent the day with her father, S. F. Aber.

Mrs. Wilkins and daughter, Mary, of Elmira, spent Sunday with her son, Ed Wilkins.

Burt Wood of Elmira, is visiting his brother, Herman Wood.

Mrs. Belle Dewey, Mrs. Tim Birney and little son, Lester, visited Mrs. D. A. Thompson of Wellsburg, Thursday.

Roy Crane spent Saturday and Sunday in Webster, N. Y.

Delbert Andrus spent Sunday with his parents at Gillett.

Will Dunbar, formerly of Bentley Creek, visited his aunt, Mrs. S. F. Aber, the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Easton spent Saturday and Sunday as the guests of Alex. Campbell and wife of Jackson Summit.

Mrs. Bertha Wood spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. Jane Ameigh, of Gillett, where Mr. Wood was helping Albert Ameigh repair his lawn from the effects of the flood of three years ago.

Miss Pearl Hileman spent Saturday in Elmira and Sunday was the guest of Mrs. T. E. Lain of Comfort Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sargeant and daughter of Troy, were the guests of George Baker and wife of South Doty Hill, Sunday.

HERRICKVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Morgan of Luthers Mills, spent several days last week with G. J. Overpeck.

D. A. Knuppenburg, the state inspector of fruit trees, has been canvassing this town the past week. He stayed over Sunday at G. L. Overpeck's. He is a gentleman and understands his business. One can learn a great deal from him in regard to the San Jose scale and the oyster louse and how to treat trees infected with it.

Francis Reinhart, who is making some extensive repairs to his barn, is getting it nearly ready. George Johnson is doing the carpenter work.

W. T. Morrow and H. W. Durand are ill.

Rev. F. J. Niles of Rome, will give a temperance lecture in the interest of the Anti-Saloon League at this place on Saturday evening, Oct. 10. All are cordially invited.

Miss Bessie Waterman has a position to study for a trained nurse in a Syracuse hospital, and commenced her duties Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Carr and Mrs. T. H. McPherson went on Sunday to Stevensville, to spend a week with Mrs. John Carr.

L. S. Westbrook is putting a new steel roof on his barn. L. C. Overpeck is doing the work.

WETONA.

A. M. Woodworth was transacting business in Elmira Friday.

John N. Rice has been quite ill the past week.

Mildred Woodworth, daughter of G. H. Woodworth, is sick with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Walster of Elmira, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Woodworth.

Mrs. VanDyke of Canton, is visiting her niece, Mrs. H. E. Grace.

The Wetona graded school house has been completed and school was commenced Monday by Prof. G. H. Woodworth and Miss Louise Pierce.

Mrs. J. N. Hicks visited friends in East Smithfield Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barnes spent Sunday with Bentley Creek friends.

MAC.

John Foster and son and daughter of East Troy, visited at Marvin Foster's on Sunday.

John Mead of Pittsburg, was a caller at R. D. Kendall's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell of Burlington, called at Burr Lane's on Sunday.

WELLS.

Mrs. C. Stringer of Wellsburg, has been a guest of Frank Hall.

The chicken pie social at Mosherville on Saturday evening was a grand success. Nearly $20 was realized for the church.

E. F. Chandler, proprietor of the Millerton Hotel, sold out last week to Jack Hallett of Canisteo, N. Y., for $3,000. Possession to be given at once.

Fred Tillinghast, Henry Beers and a few other local hunters got upwards of 25 squirrels and several birds on their trip last week.

Mason Oldroyd purchased a fine rubber-tire buggy last week at Elmira.

About 20 of the friends of Richard Winslow gave him a genuine surprise last Tuesday evening at his home at Gillett, in honor of his birthday. Mr. Winslow is manager of the creamery at Gillett, where he gives universal satisfaction, and his guests on this occasion were principally patrons of the creamery.

The horse race at Mosherville on Saturday afternoon drew a large crowd of spectators. Owing to the indisposition of the horse of Merchant "Sid" McClellan, the race was between horses owned by W. M. Baker and Hendrick Brewer; best two out of three. Mr. Brewer's horse won first two heats and was given the race. Additional races are promised in the near future.

W. H. Pettingill and son Samuel were on a few days' hunting and visiting trip near Canton last week. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Verne Ameigh and brought home a large amount of wild game.

Miss Mildred Ardene Chandler and Frederic P. Dodge were married last week, and have gone to Dallas, Texas, to reside, where Mr. Dodge has a good position.

Sidney Mann has returned to his home in Brooklyn. His wife, who was formerly Frances Courtright, will remain with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Courtright for a time. "Sidney, Jr.," the bright lad of a few months, will tarry with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Streeter are rejoicing over the advent of twins, a son and a daughter, on Oct. 2. Mrs. Streeter was formerly Miss Emma Ferren, and she is now with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bristol of Lawrenceville, are visiting old time friends here.

A fire of unknown origin destroyed the large barns owned by Mr. and Mrs. Seeley Gordon, near Gillett, one night last week. The family had retired as usual and about 11 o'clock Mrs. Gordon woke up and saw the fire. Their son, Merton Gordon, dashed through the fire and got out a valuable horse which was the only stock in the barns. A large quantity of hay and grain and all the farming tools and machinery, wagons, sleighs, harness, etc., were burned. The buildings were large, three or four barns all in one. There was a small insurance in the Grange, $400 on the buildings, and $200 on the contents. The loss is estimated at about $1,300. It is a heavy loss to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon, who are industrious and energetic people. Mr. Gordon has not yet decided on future plans.

James Suffern is able to be out again after his recent injury by a vicious bull.

The 60-acre farm of the late Ellison Wickham is offered for sale, to close up the estate.

Gabe Dean, who has been seriously ill for a few weeks with quinsy, is able to be out again.

Miss Nellie Welsh has returned to her home near Bulkhead, after spending several weeks with friends at Elmira, Wells and other places.

Bert Wise has returned home from a trip to Panama, Canal Zone.

Everybody's friend—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Cures earache, toothache, sore throat. Heals cuts, bruises, scalds. Stops any pain.

TERRYTOWN.

D. A. Crandall and daughter, Mrs. Decker, spent last week in Towanda, with his son, Charles, and attended the fair.

Mrs. Louise Terry of Wyalusing, spent the first of the week with her daughter, Mrs. B. H. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ziba Carter and daughter of Silvaria, visited Saturday and Sunday at C. H. Owen's.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Post and children visited at L. D. Bowman's Sunday.

John Strong and wife of Norway Ridge, were calling on friends in town Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Remer preached his farewell sermon Sunday; he will attend conference this week.

Excellent Health Advice.

Mrs. M. M. Davison of No. 379 Gifford Ave., San Jose, Cal., says: "The worth of Electric Bitters as a general family remedy, for headache, billiousness and torpor of the liver and bowels is so pronounced that I am prompted to say a word in its favor, for the benefit of those seeking relief from such afflictions. There is more health for the digestive organs in a bottle of Electric Bitters than in any other remedy I know of." Sold under guarantee at Turner's Drug Store. 50c.

WARRENHAM.

R. L. Beardslee, Miss Marrion Brainard and Mrs. Fred Hicks attended the Binghamton fair.

Touhey Brothers are having their barns painted. Jesse Smith is doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dewing spent Saturday night and Sunday at Tracy Creek.

Prof. Fowler and wife of Cornell University, took dinner Sunday with Mrs. Anna Young. They came from Ithaca in their automobile.

Born, Oct. 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Congdon, a daughter.

EAST SMITHFIELD.

The funeral of Orrin Wilcox was held at his home Saturday afternoon, a large number of friends being present. The death of such an examplary christian is a loss to a community as well as to his family. He had been a member of the Church of Chirst for 53 years, having held the office of deacon for a long period, after which he served as elder. A daughter, Miss Clara, a son, John of Bentley Creek, and a granddaughter, Mrs. Laura Phillips Slauson of Elmira, who was reared in the family, are the nearest survivors. Miss Wilcox has been in feeble health for some time.

Miss Euphema Tracy reached her 90th birthday Saturday, Oct. 3. She is the eldest of a family of 12 children, five of whom are living. Miss Tracy's health is fairly good. A handsome arm chair was presented her.

Rev. and Mrs. A. Tilden of Waverly, were calling on old friends in this town last week. Their grandaughter, Miss Olive Coylston of Nebraska, is stenographer for William Jennings Bryan.

Dr. G. G. Reynolds is located at Farmersville station, near Buffalo. Dr. and Mrs. Reynolds have the best wishes of their many friends here, who will miss them.

Mrs. Grace Bird Keldar and little son are in town. It is young Keldar's first visit to his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bird.

The Ballentine family moved into their elegant new house Saturday.

SYLVANIA.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bradford, Mrs. Floyd Bradford and Mrs. W. G. Mosher drove to Towanda last Thursday to take in the fair.

Mrs. Sarah Sixbee is spending some time with her son, Ross, at Mansfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fuller and daughter Maude, spent the week's end with his brothers at Checkerville.

James Bristol of Armenia, is visiting friends in Sylvania and vicinity.

Mrs. Cyntha Wheeler spent last week visiting friends at Troy.

Charles Card is improving from his serious illness.

Mrs. Hollenback has gone to visit her brothers at Covington.

Mrs. Fred Waldo's mother came last week from the West to visit her.

James Nash is moving into part of Louis Slingerland's house. Archibald Ruggles of Sullivan, has bought the house just vacated by James Nash and expects to move in shortly.

R. R. Soper spent last week at the Towanda fair.

Mrs. Henrietta Harvey of Jersey Shore, is visiting Mrs. Richard Simmons, and other friends in Sylvania and vicinity.

TERRYTOWN.

F. H. Smith of Camptown, visited his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Dodge, last week.

Mrs. M. E. Warner of LeRaysville, visited Mrs. Polly Humphrey last week.

Mrs. J. E. Dodge was in Camptown the last of the week.

Oren Fish of Lake Carey, was visiting his former home and calling on old friends here last week. Mr. Fish is happy and vigorous for a man of 87 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sweet of Hollenback, visited Friday at Shubal Proof's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ledoux entertained relatives from Jenningsville on Sunday.

Harry Comstock of Wyoming, was a Sunday visitor at S. Proof's.

The friends of Mrs. Burt Robinson, who formerly resided here, will be pained to learn that she is now in a hospital at Wilkes-Barre having had an operation for goiter on the neck.

For Sore Feet.

"I have found Bucklen's Arnica Salve to be the proper thing to use for sore feet, as well as for healing burns, sores, cuts, and all manner of abrasions," writes Mr. W. Stone, of East Poland, Maine. It is the proper thing too for piles. Try it! Sold under guarantee at Turner's Drug Store. 25c.

POWELL.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall visited at Robert Hall's in Burlington, on Sunday.

Mrs. Job Ellis of Franklin Hill, spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. James Wrisley, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Mott and Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Crofut spent Sunday at the home of Andrew Stewart.

Rev. W. S. Loller preached his farewell sermon Sunday evening.

Mrs. Leroy Talada and sons, Harry and Malcolm, spent Sunday at Freeman Talada's at Long Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Coryell Wilcox and mother of West LeRoy, and Mrs. Ella Goodrich of Athens, spent Sunday at the home of F. E. Morse.

Mrs. L. B. Perry entertained several friends from Laceyville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morse of West Sayre, attended the fair and spent a few days with his brother.

ELWELL.

Mrs. Harvey Steele and sons, Robert, Edward and Kenneth, and daughter Lydia, were shopping in Wyalusing Wednesday of last week; they were accompanied by Mrs. French Perry.

William Shaffer and wife of Taylorville, have moved into Emory Conant's tenement house near the Elwell cemetery.

Royal Oliver moved into John B. Rogers' tenement house recently.

Harry Garey of Sciotavale, was pressing rye straw for Harvey Steele and Floyd Girven last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Sweet and little grandson were entertained by Mrs. Polly Humphrey and Mrs. Carrie Proof at their home at Terrytown, Friday of last week, in honor of Mrs. Docia A. Warner of LeRaysville.

Printing that's right at The Review.

EAST TROY.

Mr. and Mrs. Volney Taylor of Granville Center, were calling on Dr. T. A. Gamble on Sunday. The doctor is still confined to his bed and a great sufferer with rheumatism.

Miss Wright of Elmira, spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Frank Morse.

The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Rathbun is very ill. Dr. Barker of Troy, is attending her.

Prof. Stethers of the High school, and Mark Jennings played ball with the West Burlington team on Saturday. The score was 26 to 2 in favor of West Burlington against West Franklin.

Charles Frisbie entertained his brother, Dr. E. S. Frisbie, of Albany, state examiner of law and medical students. Dr. Frisbie was formerly for 19 years president of Wells college at Aurora.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cole had for their guests on Sunday at their pleasant home, Maple Valley farm, Murry Parson, Miss Henrietta Skinner, Floyd Cole and Miss Mable Skinner, all of Elmira.

Mrs. Elnora VanHorn, who had been ill for some time, died Monday night about 1 2o'clock, at the home of her father in Troy. Mrs. VanHorn was the eldest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Pheonix. She was born at Pine Creek, May 7, 1859. By nature she was quiet and unassuming but by her genial and lovable disposition, she won the lasting love and esteem of all with whom she came in contact. Before her marriage she taught school in this county for several terms. She was a fine musician. But it was in her home life where her influence was most felt. She lived to see her family all grown to man and womanhood, and as the minister so fittingly said, "All converted to God," which is a lasting monument to her memory. Mrs. VanHorn is survived by her devoted husband, A. T. VanHorn, and six children—Mrs. Edith Vandemark of Elmira, Harry and Alfred of West Chester, Mrs. Ellen Calkins and John of East Troy, and Stella of Elmira, and her aged father, two sisters and one brother. Her remains were brought to her home here and on Thursday at 1 o'clock at the home, prayer was offered by ths pastor, Rev. Randle of Troy. Her father then made a few appropriate remarks; also her sister Miss Ellen Pheonix, who is ateacher in the Oswego Normal school, recited a psalm. Her body was then tenderly carried by her three sons and three sons-in-law to the Baptist church where services were held. Mrs. Lizzie York and Mrs. Florence Card of Sylvania, sang three selections very sweetly. The flowers sent by sympathizing friends and the many in attendance, all attested the high esteem that Mrs. VanHorn was held in this, her home for nearly her whole life. Interment was in the Glenwood cemetery at Troy. Mrs. VanHorn was united with the church many years ago, and lived a consistent christian life. She was also a member and the efficient treasurer of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of East Troy.

MONROETON.

Albert Miller of Elmira, visited Mrs. E. F. Young, his sister, and James Miller, his brother, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dunfee and little son spent a couple of days last week at Towanda.

Mr. and Mrs. Corydon Shores of Reynoldsville, visited friends here last week.

Mrs. W. H. S. Loller and children returned last Saturday from Kennett Square, where they have spent several weeks.

Fred Shiner and mother moved last week into the house they recently purchased of Mrs. Ida Rockwell on Bridge street.

Miss Hazel Olewine of Williamsport, was the guest of Miss Minnie Coolbaugh last week.

Miss Lucie Drake is the guest of Miss Mabel Griggs at Athens.

Robert Satterlee returned to St. Paul and his work in the West on Saturday, after spending several weeks at his home here.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Dunfee.

Mrs. George Fowler and little son went Tuesday to Bethlehem to join Mr. Fowler, who has been there for a month.

Rev. and Mrs. Will Miller and little daughter of East Canton, are guests at F. E. Leet's.

John Mingos went Sunday to spend Founders' Week in Philadelphia.

Rev. W. H. S. Loller is attending the sessions of conference at Syracuse, N. Y.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portions of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

NORTH ORWELL.

Charles Moore is improving from his illness.

Mrs. Rodney Brewer will entertain the Ladies' Aid Oct. 15, for dinner.

Mrs. C. V. Prince will entertain the Sunshine Branch, Wednesday, Oct. 14, for dinner.

M. V. McCormick fell from the milk wagon and is too lame to handle the cans.

D. C. Tyrrell is visiting friends in Binghamton.

Mrs. M. H. Deuel has been very sick the past week. Clara Wickizer is helping her.

BLACK CREEK.

Mrs. John Burleigh of Powell, visited her daughter, Mrs. C. Bartlow, last week.

Mrs. Baumgardner of Wilkes-Barre, visited Mrs. Mahlon Chase last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bennett are spending the week at Tunkhannock.

Miss Anna Bartlow entertained guests from Pelton Hill Sunday.

A quick, safe, soothing, healing, antiseptic cure for Sore Throat, briefly describes TONSILINE. A small bottle of Tonsiline lasts longer than most any case of Sore Throat. TONSILINE cures Sore Mouth and Hoarseness and prevents Quinsy and Diphtheria.

25 and 50 cents at all druggists.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank, at Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, Sept. 23, 1908:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 765,089 43
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		313 05
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		125,000 00
U. S. bonds on hand		250 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		5,320 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		123,568 74
Banking House, furniture and fixtures		20,400 00
Other real estate owned		11,050 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		6,181 56
Due from State banks and bankers		3,745 28
Due from approved reserve agents		172,478 79
Checks and other cash items		4,965 26
Notes of other National banks		6,050 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		150 12
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$37,674 00	
Legal-tender notes	20,460 00	58,134 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas. (5 per cent. of circulation)		6,250 00
Total		$1,308,946 23

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000 00
Surplus fund	100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	17,365 65
National Bank notes outstanding	122,000 00
Due to other National Banks	4,156 24
Due to State banks and bankers	174 51
Dividends unpaid	10 00
Individual deposits subject to check	315,927 91
Demand certificates of deposit	622,343 29
Certified checks	1,187 53
Cashier's checks outstanding	751 10
Total	$1,308,946 23

State of Pennsylvania, County of Bradford, ss:

I, U. M. Fell, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

U. M. FELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of Sept., 1908.

H. P. NEWELL, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
G. W. KIPP,
E. F. KIZER,
F. H. HAGERMAN,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Citizens' National Bank, at Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, Sept. 23, 1908:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 619,920 42
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		479 81
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		150,000 00
Premium on U. S. bonds		5,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		269,024 13
Banking House, furniture, and fixtures		80,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		16,974 26
Due from State banks and bankers		1,219 58
Due from approved reserve agents		99,426 00
Checks and other cash items		1,929 64
Notes of other National banks		6,845 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		419 69
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$36,499 00	
Legal-tender notes	13,350 00	49,819 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas. (5 per cent. of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$1,258,588 43

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 150,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	14,360 29
National Bank notes outstanding	150,000 00
Due to other National banks	1,844 07
Due to State banks and bankers	31 46
Individual deposits subject to check	309,606 63
Demand certificates of deposit	581,547 21
Certified checks	154 47
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,044 30
Total	$1,258,588 43

State of Pennsylvania, County of Bradford, ss:

I, J. K. Newell, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. K. NEWELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of Sept., 1908.

L. M. OSBORNE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
W. L. BARCLAY,
J. M. BAHM,
R. A. HORTON,
Directors.

Attorneys.

I. McPHERSON, Attorney-at-Law. Offices a few doors North of Ward House. A general law business carefully transacted.

J. C. INGHAM, Attorney-at-Law, Towanda, Pa. Office over Citizens' National Bank, corner Main and Bridge Streets.

RODNEY A. MERCUR, Attorney-at-Law, and Solicitor of Patents. Particular attention paid to business in the Orphans' Court, and to the settlement of estates Office in new Masonic Block, corner Main and Pine streets, Towanda, Pa.

WILLIAM MAXWELL, Attorney-at-Law Towanda, Pa. Special attention given to Fire and Life Insurance litigation. Orphans' Court practice and settlement of estates. Office over Dayton's store.

J. T. MARSDEN, Dentist. The Best Set of Teeth, $8; Gold Fillings, $1 and $2. All other fillings, 50c and 75c. Cleaning and Polishing Teeth, 50c; Teeth Extracted, 25c.

Miscellaneous.

HIRAM E. BULL, County Surveyor. Engineering, Surveying and Drafting. Office in Court House.

PENNSYLVANIA NEWS.

Happenings All Over the State in Condensed Form.

MONEY IN RABIT HUNTING.

Lehigh County Man Pays for Farm in Two Years With Potato Crops—Fayette County to Have Plenty of Pancakes.

Two years ago George H. Hardner of Allentown, bought a farm of 68 acres in Lehigh county, with the view of raising rabbits. Last year he cleared its cost with a crop of potatoes and this year he will have 8,000 bushels.

Because of the prevalence of scarlet fever in Red Lion, York county, the schools and churches of the borough have all been closed and at Fawn Grove, in the same county, the schools have also been closed for the same reason.

George S. Beetem of North Middleton township, Cumberland county, has 103 hives of very industrious bees which have produced 2,300 pounds of white clover honey this season. The bees are now working on buckwheat honey for the Fall trade.

Superintendent Mercer of the county buildings in Pittsburg, was assaulted early on Sunday morning in the basement of the court house, by an unknown thug, who knocked him down, beat him, cut him about the head and left wrist and robbed him, leaving him lie unconscious.

Falling asleep on a late train from Pittsburg Saturday night, Adolph Beigel, a shoe dealer of Charleroi, awoke as he neared his station to find the shoes he had been wearing had been stolen. He walked in his stocking feet four blocks from the station to his store to get another pair of shoes.

There will be pancakes in Fayette county this Winter. The record buckwheat crop was threshed out last week by Ross Marietta on his farm near Mill Run. From a field of 80 acres he secured 1,988 bushels of grain, an average of about 25 bushels to the acre. The season was unfavorable or the crop would have been a larger one. Buckwheat, like other grains, was affected by the drought.

Actual count shows 178 dwelling houses in Lewistown, that are vacant, though 18 monhts ago any price was being offered for anything in the nature of a dwelling.

Governor Stuart has granted a hearing on Oct. 14, to a committee of residents of Gettysburg on the proposition to hold a celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the great battle.

A dispatch from Bangor, Pa., to the Philadelphia Record says: What is believed to be the largest pear ever grown in the State was plucked today from the orchard of former School Director David Price. Its demensions are 12 by 12½ inches.

It is expensive to fish with dynamite in Erie county. Fourteen foreigners, arrested Friday night amid great excitement, charged with dynamiting fish in Coffee Creek, near Columbus, after being fined $100 each or six months in jail, were released when a settlement was effected by some one. All of the fines were paid.

St. John's Greek Catholic parochial school, in Hazleton, has been closed because of failure to teach English, as required by law. The congregation voted down a proposition to employ an English teacher and the school was closed by the public authorities.

During the forest fires of last week in the vicinity of the Bradford reservoir, Mr. Goodwin, the caretaker of the reservoir, saw hundreds of snakes that were driven adead of the fire and came down to the reservoir to drink. The snakes were all kinds native to that vicinity.

Athur Geiger of Georgetown, Berks county, made a record of cutting 203 shucks of corn in one day and 1,300 in seven days.

Chestnuts are so numerous in Lehigh county that they are selling at 12 cents a quart, for the recent storm brought them down by the bushel.

Mike Sousa, a foreigner, was arrested at Houston, Washington county, and lodged in jail on a charge of having attempted to set fire to a carload of dynamite on a Pennsylvania railroad siding. Sousa is said to have had a grudge against the railroad.

Mrs. Susan Ritchie of Sharon, Mercer county, aged 54 years, after eating a pickle on Tuesday, complained of severe pains and in a few moments dropped over dead. Physicians say it was due to hemorrhage of the stomach.

Daniel Miles, a lineman of Mahanoy City, was called to duty at 3 o'clock Tuesday morning to adjust some crossed telephone wires that threatened fires in homes that had phones. After getting up a pole he stooped to cut a wire when he dropped to the street, dead, having come in contact with a live wire carrying 2,200 volts.

Several sacks of flour and some other goods were stolen from McCelland Brothers' grocery store in New Castle, on Tuesday, but a fine trail of flour led directly to the home of Lawrence and Mollie Burns, aged 15 and 16 years, where the goods were found and the young thieves were arrested. While leaving the store a projecting nail punctured one of the flour sacks, which led the way to the thieves.

Brayton McKnight of Hichtal, near Seyfert, Berks county, boasts an apple which he raised this season that weighs 24 ounces and measures 16 inches in circumference.

Dennis Kelker, crossing watchman at Mayfield, near Scranton, on Wednesday, while warning several persons of an approaching train on one track did not notice one coming on another track, and was killed himself.

CHURCH WEDDING.

Martin J. O'Connor and Miss Elizabeth V. McMahon United in Marriage.

The handsome Church of SS. Peter and Paul, on Third street, was the scene of a very pretty wedding Monday morning, when Martin J. O'Connor of Elizabeth, N. J., took for his bride, Miss Elizabeth V. McMahon, daughter of the late John W. McMahon, proprietor of the American House on Bridge street. Rev. J. J. Coroner performed the ceremony at 7 o'clock.

Miss Nellie McMahon, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, while Edward Hennesy of Elmira, was best man. The bride was becomingly gowned in a dress of champagne mirage silk, with hat of old rose with willow plums. She carried a white prayer book. The bridesmaid wore a pretty dress of champagne mirage silk, hat to match, trimmed with shaded brown plumes.

Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast sedved at the American House on Bridge street, to the immediate families of the contracting parties. Mr. and Mrs. O'Connor left on train No. 8 for a wedding trip to Philadelphia and Washington. They will make their home at Elizabeth, N. J., where Mr. O'Connor is the manager of the Elizabeth Hardware company.

The bride is one of Towanda's most estimable young ladies. A large number of beautiful gifts, including gold, cut glass and silver, attest to many warm friendships. The groom is a son of the late Patrick O'Connor of Towanda, and for many years lived here, being employed as clerk in the Haley hardware store which was located where the S. and N. Y. passenger station now is. Both bride and groom have hosts of friends to invoke life's richest blessings.

VILLAGE SOLONS IN SESSION.

October Meeting of Town Council Held Monday Evening.

The regular monthly meeting of the town counsel was held Monday evening, with President G. Ernest Frost in the chair.

Only business of a routine nature was transacted. The street committee was authorized to enter into an agreement with Depue & Harding for the furnishing of materials and the erection of an iron railing on Ann street along the property of A. J. Jarvis, the price to be $35 for the job complete. The fence is to be of one inch iron pipe strapped securely to the sidewalk.

Another matter of importnce was the ordering of 500 feet of Paragon fire hose for the fire department The order was placed with the Eureka Fire Hose company of Chicago, and the contract price is $1 per foot.

Lehigh Supervisor W. H. Kane was appointed a special policeman.

The following bills were approved and ordered paid:

Streets	$579.04
Lights	185.33
Police	180.33
Water	750.00
Fire Department	15.55
Insurance	30.00
Misscellaneous	48.04
Total	$1788.29

Rose Flynn.

Rose, the bright and winsome three and a half years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Flynn of Owego, died Tuesday morning, Oct. 6, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Fox at Sugar Run. Mrs. Fox took the little girl home with her for a few days' visit, and on Sunday she became ill, pneumonia developing, causing her death on Tuesday. The funeral will be held at Sugar Run Thursday morning and the body brought to Towanda on the 11 o'clock train in the morning and taken direct from the upper station to the Catholic cemetery where interment will be made. Mr. and Mrs. Flynn formerly resided in Towanda, he being employed as solicitor and collector for the Prudential Insurance company, going to Owego last spring to take charge of the company's office in that city. The bereaved parents have many friends who deeply sympathize with them in their loss.

Will Contest Halts Work.

Work has now been stopped on the latest addition to the Packer hospital, which was given by the late F. C. Hewitt of Owego. He signed the contract during his lifetime, and in his will directed his executors to carry out the work started by him. Now his will is being contested, and when the time came for the first payment on the work the executors would not pay, with the result that the work has been stopped.

Advertised Letters.

List of letters in the Towanda postoffice for the week ending Oct. 5, 1908: Ladies—Cornell, Mrs. Anna; Dodd, Mrs.; Holland, Miss Mattie; Holland, Mrs. Martha. Gents—Gray, William; Harris, George C.; Mercer, David. These letters will be sent to the dead letter office Oct. 20, unless delivered before. In calling for the same please say "Advertised," giving date of list. D. M. Turner, Postmaster.

Model Pupils.

The following pupils of Bourne school have been neither tardy nor absent during the month ending Oct. 5: Bessie Bennett, Marie Bennett, Ruth Brown, Ida Brown, Theresa Bailey, Sophia Herda, Blanche Herda, Genie Herda, Myrtle Bennett, Lelia Chamberlain. Hazel Ross, teacher.

Marriage Licenses.

The following Bradford county people were granted marriage licenses Tuesday: Edward McNeal of Canton, and Linna Williams of Cedar Ledge, Emmor Pepper and Ida Margaret VanHorn, both of Granville.

WORK OF THE GRIM REAPER

LITTLE GIRL'S SAD DEATH

Two Years' Old Marie Webb Eats Strychnine Pills for Candy.

The village of Ghent in the township of Sheshequin, was the scene of a sa dand tragic occurrence Friday afternoon, and as a result Marie Webb, the two years' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Webb, highly esteemed people of that place is dead. The little tot ate strychnine pills thinking they were candy and died in terrible agony before a doctor could reach the home.

Mrs. Webb was talking over the telephone Friday afternoon, and the two little girls, Hazel age four, and Marie age two, were playing about the house. Unnoticed the children climbed upon chairs and reached the medicine cabinet.

Marie, the youngest, found a box containing white pills, and with a shout of glee, thinking they were candy, ate two or three. The mother approached them and seeing what Marie had in her hands, took it from her and was then informed by Hazel that the child had eaten some of the pills.

Mrs. Webb summoned help, and five different doctors in Ulster and Towanda were phoned for. A few minutes later Marie became very ill, and while many remedies were applied, yet none brought relief, and death ended the terrible sufferings of the child.

The sad death of the child has been a hard blow to the parents, and they are grief stricken.

The funeral was held at the house Sunday morning at 10 o'clock and at the Black church at 11 o'clock.

George E. Vanness.

George E. Vanness passed away at his home in Rummerfield, Thursday morning, aged 80 years. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the M. E. church.

Death of an Infant.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Zeigler of Powell, died on Tuesday night of last week. The remains were brought to Towanda on Thursday morning for interment in the Catholic cemetery.

Arthur Trumbull.

Arthur, the five years' old son of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Trumbull of Standing Stone, died Sunday, Oct. 4, after a three day's illness with cholera infantum.
Tuesday.

Mrs. L. P. VanHorn.

Mrs. Leonora Phoenix VanHorn, wife of Alfred VanHorn, died at midnight Monday, Sept. 28, at the home of her father, Rev. J. L. Phoenix, in Troy. Mrs. VanHorn's home is in East Troy, but while visiting early last week she contracted typhoid fever and was taken to her father's home, where after weeks of illness she died, aged 49 years.

John McGlenn.

John McGlenn, another aged resident of Troy, died at 12:30 o'clock Wednesday, Sept. 30, following a several weeks' illness. Within two weeks four of Troy's oldest citizens have passed away. Mr. McGlenn's son, Michael, and daughter, Frances, reside in Troy, and he is also survived by his son, George S., of Elmira.

William F. Newell.

William F. Newell, aged 70 years, died Saturday night, Sept. 26, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Smith, at Snedekers, near Troy. He is survived by several brothers and sisters, among whom are Daniel C. and Albert Newell both of Troy. The funeral was held Tuesday at 11 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Smith. Rev. Mr. Dwyer of Gillett, officiated and burial was in Glenwood cemetery, Troy village.

Mrs. Effie Wells.

Mrs. Effie Wells died Monday, Oct. 5, after a long illness, aged 71 years. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Frank Wilcox, and Mrs. Sarah Sickler, both of Towanda, and one brother, Isaac Wheeler, also of Towanda. The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Frank Wilcox, 708 Bridge street, and interment will be made in Cole's cemetery.

Henry Jarvis Burt.

Henry J., better known as Jarvis Burt, a native of Springfield, this county, died very suddenly Tuesday morning, Sept. 29, at his home in Elmira, from heart trouble, aged 65 years. For 40 years Mr. Burt had been a valued employe of the Northern Central railroad, more than 22 as a passenger conductor. He was a son of Deacon C. S. Burt of Springfield, long since gone to his reward, and a brother of Ezekiel Burt of Frewsburg, and Isaac Burt of Watkins, N. Y. All three were present at the recent annual reunion of the Springfield Baptist church and Jarvis as usual led the singing as did his father before him. His religion activity was by no means confined to these annual gatherings. For 35 years he had been a member of the First Baptist church, Elmira, being one of its deacons for a number of years. He is survived by his wife and two sons, Arthur of Elmira, and Alpha of Boston, Mass. The funeral was held Friday afternoon from his late home in Elmira. Up and down the line of the railroad he served so long, in Springfield, in Elmira, wherever he was known, the death of Jarvis Burt is recognized as a real loss.

TWO SUDDEN DEATHS.

E. P. Tracy Drops Dead at Ulster, and Rome Lady Expires Suddenly.

The grim reaper suddenly summoned two well known and highly esteemed Bradford county residents Monday, Edwin Perry Tracy of Smithfield township, and Mrs. A. N. Wilmot of Rome.

Mr. Tracy drove to Ulster from his home in Smithfield township about 10 o'clock Monday morning and had been transacting business at Ayers mill. He walked out on the porch, and had turned to go away, when he was seen to sink down unconscious. A doctor was hurriedly summoned, but it was no use, as the spark of life had fled. Death was due to heart failure. Mr. Tracy was a bachelor, about 65 years of age. He was the owner of a fine farm, and also a large grist and saw mill at Smithfield, and was one of Smithfield township's best known and most highly esteemed citizens.

Mrs. A. N. Wilmot.

Mrs. Marion Wilmot, wife of A. N. Wilmot, one of Rome's best known and most highly esteemed ladies, died suddenly at her home in that village Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Death was due to apoplexy. Deceased was a devoted member of the Rome Methodist Episcopal church, and also a prominent member of the Order of the Eastern Star, being a member of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania. She is survived by her husband, A. N. Wilmot, a well known and prominent citizen of Rome.

Elisha B. Hoagland.

Elisha B. Hoagland, one of East Canton's highly esteemed citizens, died suddenly of heart failure on Thursday, Oct. 1, aged about 67 years. The funeral was held Saturday at 1 p. m., from his late residence.

Edwin Pierce.

Edwin Pierce died Monday, Oct. 5, at 9:30 a. m., at his home on Towanda Hill, aged 61 years. He is survived by his wife and five children: Edwin A. Pierce of Wysox, Harry Pierce of Wyalusing, George, Judd and May Pierce of Towanda. The funeral will be held on Wednesday, with prayer at the house at 1 p. m., and at 2 p. m. at the Wysox Brick church. Interment in Wysox cemetery.

C. H. Bothwyck.

C. H. Bothwyck died at the Robert Packer hospital Monday afternoon at 1:25 o'clock, after being in that institution for the last six weeks. His death was due to tubercular peritonitis. He had general tuberculosis and while working in a saw mill near Towanda six weeks ago a board flew off a saw, and struck him in the abdomen, causing the trouble that resulted in his death. He was a resident of Brooklyn and had no relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. Reed Martin.

Lena C., the wife of Reed E. Martin died at 10:30 Wednesday morning at her home in Sayre. She had been afflicted with nervous trouble for four years and had been ill for the last six months. She was 22 years of age, and is sruvived by her husband and two children, Loretta, aged four years, and Karl, aged nine months. Her father, Jacob Brown of Sayre, and four sisters, Mrs. Sadie Smith of Corning, Mrs. Molly Geiss, Miss Nellie Brown and Miss Dora Brown of Sayre, survive.

Michael Murray.

Michael Murray died Thursday afternoon, Oct. 1, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Thomas Gibbons, in Sayre. He was 83 years of age, and was a native of Ireland. When 30 years old he came to tihs country and resided for many years in the vicinity of New York city, later moving to Bloomsburg, where he resided until two years ago, when he went to Sayre and made his home there. He suffered a stroke of apoplexy Thursday morning at 3 o'clock and gradually sunk until he died shortly before 4 o'clock in the afternoon. He is survived by three daughters, the one with whom he lived in Sayre, one at Newark, N. J., and one in Toledo, O., a son, Charles, lives at Pittston. He leaves 17 grandchildren and two great-granchildren.

George E. Vannest.

George E. Vannest of Standing Stone, was born July 14, 1828. On April 20, 1864, he married Phebe L. Ogden. To them were born two children, Espey T. Vannest, who lives on the homestead with his mother, and Carrie M. Harris, who died Dec. 9, 1896. Mr. Vannest lived his four score years in the vicinity of Standing Stone, respected by a large circle of friends as an upright citizen and kind neighbor. During the pastorate of the Rev. N. W. Barnes, about 25 years ago, he was converted and united with the Methodist Episcopal church at Standing Stone, of which he was an honored member at his death, which occurred Thursday morning, Oct. 1. He was also a member of the Standing Stone Grange and Standing Stone Lodge, I. O. O. F. The M. E. church of Standing Stone was filled with his friends at the funeral, held Saturday, Oct. 3. The Rev. W. H. Stang officiated, and a large delegation of Odd Fellows assisted in the burial service.

Lunacy Commission.

Dr. T. Ben Johnson, Jr., J. A. Wilt, Esq., and G. M. Clark have been appointed by the court as a commission to inquire into the sanity of Byron Tall of Albany township.

TAX CASE AGAINST LEHIGH HAS BEEN ABANDONED.

Sayre School Board Will Not Attempt to Force Payment of Assessment.

Says the Sayre correspondent of the Athens Evening News: "Having backed up on th etax case and announced that the committee from the sayre borough council would recommend the same action on the part of that body, and a committee of the business men were in accord with it, it now seems that the attempt to collect th etaxes from the Lehigh Valley Railroad company would be abandoned all the way round unless the county commissioners stand pat.

"The Sayre school board passed a resolution Friday evening at a special meeting called for the purpose, such resolution being as follows:

"'Whereas, The Lehigh Valley Railroad company has presented a bill in equity to the court of common pleas of Bradford county sitting in equity, and obtained a temporary injunction levied on the new shops of said railroad company in the Third ward of the borough of Sayre; and in said bill it is alleged that said shops are doing only and exclusively repair work necessary for the running and carrying on of the business of said railroad company;

"'And, Whereas, none of the members of this board of directors has any personal knowledge that said allegations are untrue, and know of no witness or witnesses by whom the falsity of such allegations can be established; therefore;

"'Resolved, That after considering the premises, we deem it inexpedient to defend such case and decline to file any answer to the bill filed.'

"This resolution was presented by W. C. Walker, and was seconded by James A. Shedden. All the members of the board were present, and when Mr. Sawtelle put the motion a very faint 'yes' came from some of the members present although some did not move their lips, and when the contrary vote was called for not a single 'no' was heard, and so it was passed unanimously."

TOWANDA LOSES INDUSTRY.

Federal Equipment Company Purchases Large Plant at Carlisle.

Towanda has lost a good industry. The Federal Equipment company which wanted to stay in the county seat under favorable conditions, have purchased a large factory in Carlisle, Pa., and will hereafter have headquarters in that village.

The plant which the company purchased was built three years ago for a furniture factory, and is modern in every respect, being of brick, two stories high, fully equipped with engine, boilers and shafting.

An effort was made to have the company continue its business in Towanda, but Carlisle came forward with a very liberal offer, which was accepted with the result that Towanda loses a splendid industry.

No Cause for Alarm.

Constable Fenner of Towanda township, Monday went to Gregg hill and made an investigation into the finding of the clothes near Gregg school house. There were no blood stains on the garments, and nothing to indicate foul play. The shirt waists are of silk, but so badly torn that the pattern is hardly distinguishable. The gentleman's shirt is of good quality. The lady's shoes have been recently half soled, and James Vincent, the First ward cobbler, has identified them by the taps. Near the place where the clothes were found, the ground shows evidence of having been the hitching place for three horses, and a sprinkling of beer bottles, and other joy producers indicate nothing more or less than a little picnic.

Despicable Trick.

Some time during Monday night, unprincipled parties besmeared the front of N. Sussman's five-cent store with eggs. It was a despicable trick, and is being generally condemned. Mr. Sussman placed the matter in the hands of the police, and the parties against whom there is strong evidence, may be given a chance to make amends in preference to being subjected to prosecution.

Big Apple Crop.

Carl C. Strait, who lives on Hillside Farm in Marshlands, Tioga county known at the J. D. Strait homestead, will harvest 1000 bushels of choice apples this fall. He is able to do this because he cared for his trees and pruned them as such work should be done. He is rewarded by a quantity and quality of fruit which causes all who visit his orchard to marvel.

Peculiar Accident.

Arthur Blair of Renova, shot himself in the head in a peculiar manner on Saturday. He had a revolver in his hand and was about to shoot at a bird when his hat flew off. He raised his hand to catch the cap when he discharged the revolver, the bullet entering his head below the right ear.

Social at West Franklin.

There will be a warm biscuit and honey social at the home of L. C. Burroughs Wednesday evening, Oct. 7. Everybody come and have a good time and get a good supper. The proceeds will be used to help purchase stoves for the Baptist church.

No Work on P., B. and E. This Year.

Information was sent out from Pittsbur on Wednesday that the P., B. and E. would eventually be built but that construction will not be commenced this year.—Canton World.

While a man is blind to his own faults he may be gifted with second sight when the faults of others are concerned.

LACEYVILLE GIRL SAVED FROM A LIFE OF SHAME.

Former Wyalusing Young Lady Has Horrifying Experience.

The Wilkes-Barre Record of yesterday says: "With bitter tears flowing down her rosy cheeks a Leceyville girl, aged about 20 years, told a pathetic story at the United Charities Sunday evening. She was rescued from the tenderloin Sunday afternoon by city detectives Jones and LaBar. Charged with having enticed her to that section is LeRoy Featherby, now occupying a cell in the station house.

"When seen by a reporter, the unfortunate girl told of how 18 years ago her father died at their home in Wyalusing. Later her mother married Elmer Learish. She accused the latter of having always mistreated her, such as knocking her to the ground with his fist. His abuse, she stated, drove her from home and she went to Buffalo, thence to Binghamton, where two years ago she met Featherby, who was selling souvenirs at county fairs.

"She kept up a correspondence with Feathrby and last week he arrived again at Binghamton. On Friday he pursuader her to leave her position as servant for a private family and come to this city, telling her he was going to marry her. She agreed to marry the man because the abuse of her stepfather drove her to consent, she wishing to have a home.

"They arrived in this city on Saturday evening and Featherby took her to the house of Lizzie Shaffer on South State street. The inmates questioned the girl and learned that she was in total ignorance of the kind of a place she had entered. Recollecting their once happy homes and impressed with the apparent innocence of the unfortunate girl, her more hardened sisters were moved to pity. They advised her to go to her home.

"The proprietress sent word to the detectives with the result that Jones and LaBar set a trap to catch the alleged brute who would thus degrade a girl ignorant of the pitfalls which beset her. The trap worked successfully and Featherby was captured. With the girl he was taken before Mayor Kniffen Sunday afternoon. Before the mayor Featherby stated that she asked him to bring her here but she replied that she would rather shoot herself than lead such a life."

MINERAL SPRINGS.

Valuable Water Wells May Be the Result of Drilling for Oil.

A Westfield correspondent says: "In the gas wells that have been drilled in the vicinity of Westfield, it has been discovered that the black water found in considerable quantities in the same possesses qualities of important therapeutic value. Many of the leading business men of Westfield have been aroused to a realization of the possibilities of this discovery in effecting the growth and development of the village.

"A quiet investigation has been going on for some time and recently a sample of the water was sent to Dr. Hill, chemist in the city of Buffalo, for analysis and his report reveals the fact that the water is strongly alkaline and rich in valuable mineral qualities. It is said by those who know that the water is very similar to that at Alden, N. Y., and at Mt. Clemens, Mich., and equally efficacious.

"The Business Men's Association has taken the matter up and a public meeting was held in the Y. M. C. A. building to discuss plans for forming a corporation to exploit the water and make a start by drilling a well and building a bath house."

BIG TIME NEXT MONDAY NIGHT.

Republicans Will Hold a Mass Meeting in Keystone Opera House.

Next Monday evening Towanda will be the scene of the biggest Republican blowout of recent years. Arrangements are being completed for a big parade followed by a big mass meeting in Keystone opera house, which will be addressed by some of the foremost speakers in the state.

Major Alexander McDowell, chief clerk of the National House of Representatives, will deliver the principal address of the evening, and there will be other speakers. Major McDowell is one of the best known men in America, and as an orator, has but few superiors.

It is expected to have the Laquin, Sayre shop, and Hosmer's bands of Athens, in the parade which will be held in the evening. Besides the Towanda Republican club, there will be the Republican clubs of Athens, and large delegations from every section of the county. W. J. McCabe, county chairman, has assurances from all election districts in the county of large turnouts.

D. A. R. Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the George Clymer Chapter, D. A. R., will be held on Friday afternoon of this week with the Misses Storrs, at Standing Stone. A wagon to convey the members of the chapter to the place of meeting will leave the Ward House at 1 p. m., and all those going should be there at that time. Members expecting to attend the meeting should notify Liveryman James Hees, not later than Friday moring.

Standing Stone School.

The following pupils have neither been absent nor tardy during the first month of school ending Oct. 5: Alice Felker, Raymond Taylor, Lidia Felker, Mable Lane, Elizabeth Taylor, Arthur Ennis, Blanche Roof, Ephton Roof, Ralph Taylor, Tillie Bennett, Willie Bennett, John Gordon, and Clarence Bennett. Elizabeth Sullivan, teacher.

MARRIAGE RECORD

FRANZ—CARROLL.

Towanda Young Lady Became the Bride of Jacksonville Groom.

At noon Wednesday at the home of Mrs. John Carroll on York avenue, her daughter, Miss Anna Elizabeth Carroll, was united in marriage with Gerard Renolds Franz of Jacksonville, Florida, by the bride's uncle, Rev. M. H. Dunn of Wilkes-Barre.

To the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march played by Mrs. James F. Lane, the bride entered the music room where the ceremony was performed, on the armof her brother, John M. Carroll, who gave her in marriage. The bride's only attendant was her sister, Miss Katherine Carroll, and Arthur MacDuff of Jacksonville, was best man. The impressive ring service was used.

The music room was decorated in smilax and pink and white asters, and the bow window in which the bridal party stood was banked with potted plants, palms and ferns. The bride wore an exquisite gown of princess lace, made empire and combined with messalyne satin and duchess lace, her only ornament being a sunburst of diamonds, the gift of the groom. Her veil was fastened with orange blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of bride roses and lillies of the valley. The maid of honor wore a sheath gown of light blue crepe de chine, made over blue taffeta and trimmed in filet net and oriental lace. She carried a bouquet of pink roses.

After the ceremony an elegant wedding breakfast was served, the table decorations being smilax and pink and white roses. Only the immediate relatives were at the wedding, but showing the warm regard in which she is held the bride received many beautiful gifts, among them being a chest of silver.

Mr. and Mrs. Franz will make their home in Jacksonville.

Cooney—Mandeville.

Married, on Tuesday evening, Sept. 29, at the home of the bride's brother, Charles Mandeville, Miss Carrie Mandeville of Canton, and Timothy Cooney of Alba.

Brenchley—Rosbach.

On Thursday evening, Oct. 1, at the Universalist parsonage, Winfield S. Brenchley and Miss Lillian Rosback were united in marriage.

Robinson—Rolles.

At 208 Main street, Towanda, the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. W. S. H. Heermans, on Oct. 2, Clarence B. Robinson of Towanda, and Miss M. Elizabeth Rolles of Port Jervis, N. Y., were united in marriage.

Stethers—Stevens.

W. L. Stethers, formerly of Herrick, and Miss Lora Stevens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manford Stevens of Wyalusing, were united in marriage at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Carrington, the latter being the bride's sister, at Bainbridge, N. Y., on Saturday, Sept. 26.

ONE DOLLAR—AND WORTH I..

After Nov. 1 Subscriptions to This Paper Must be in Advance.

Believing it to be for the best interests of both subscribers and publishers, it has been determined to put the pay in advance plan in operation on The Reporter-Journal on November 1. After that date all subscriptions to this paper must be paid in advance, and all papers will be stopped at the end of the time paid for.

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A genius, sometimes, is a man who would rather acquire fame than make a living.

The Knock-out Blow.

The blow which knocked out Corbett was a revelation to the prize fighters. From the earliest days of the ring the knock-out blow was aimed for the jaw, the temple or the jugular vein. Stomach punches were thrown in to worry and weary the fighter, but if a scientific man had told one of the old fighters that the most vulnerable spot was the region of the stomach, he'd have laughed at him for an ignoramus. Dr. Pierce is bringing home to the public a parallel fact; that the stomach is the most vulnerable organ out of the prize ring as well as in it. We protect our heads, throats, feet and lungs, but the stomach we are utterly indifferent to, until disease finds the solar plexus and knocks us out. Make your stomach sound and strong by the use of Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and you protect yourself in your most vulnerable spot. "Golden Medical Discovery" cures "weak stomach," indigestion, or dyspepsia, torpid liver, bad, thin and impure blood and other diseases of the organs of digestion and nutrition.

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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

NATIONAL.
For President,
WILLIAM H. TAFT, of Ohio.
For Vice-President,
JAMES S. SHERMAN, of New York.

CONGRESSIONAL.
For Member of Congress,
C. C. PRATT, of New Milford,
Susquehanna County.

SENATORIAL.
For State Senator,
MOSES SHIELDS, of Nicholson,
Wyoming County.

LEGISLATIVE.
For Members of
House of Representatives,
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For Coroner,
T. BEN JOHNSON, Jr., of Towanda.

"THE MAN WITH THE WAD."

In the Eastern part of the Fourteenth district Congressman Kipp is known as "the man with the wad." His brilliant touring car loaded with "Towanda aristocrats," and his 'wad"—especially the "wad"—made an impression over that way, we infer. It is quite likely the congressman and his automobile and the "Towanda aristocrats" and the "wad" will make more trips tarough the district before the campaign is over, but it will not avail. Col. Pratt will be elected, and the owner of the automobile and his accompanying staff of aristocrats will have nothing from their journeys but pleasant memories—and what there is left of the 'wad." The Honesdale Citizen says:

The Hon. George W. Kipp arrived in town on Saturday. He was accompanied by two Reformed Republicans from Bradford county, Messrs. D. J. Sweet and J. H. Hurst, who are posing as examples of the uplifting power of Congressman Kipp in raising voters rrom the low levels of Republicanism to a position that would make a Standard Oil satellite envious. The marvelous tales that these two converts tell of the remarkable growth of Kippism in Bradford county and of the multitudes of Republicans that are flocking to the banner of this new Moses, were so impressive that we would advise Bradford county Republicans to lay in a supply of sackcloth and ashes. They made the rounds of the pleasure resorts of our town, setting them up for the boys so lavishly, that our banks broke the Saturday half-holiday rule, and kept open all day, while the Clearing House was busy until late in the night, counting Bradford county money. It was rumored that this trio were considering a proposition to be made to the pastors of the various churches, that if they would cease praying for rain and pray and work for George, he would buy enough water to keep Wayne county wet until he was elected—but unfortunately for George, some one turned on the rain switch, and it rained all day and all night."

Mr. Kipp, in asking Republicans to vote for him for Congress, does so as a Democrat; he has always been a Democrat; he received his nomination at the hands of the Democrats of this district; if elected and placed on committees in congress it will be because he is a Democrat, and he will vote with the Democrats on all party questions. Are the Republicans of this county and district to be fooled into voting for a Democrat, who if elected must support Bryan and his vagaries; or do they prefer a Republican who will vote for the Roosevelt policies and stand by a Republican president on the great issues that must come before the next congress?

Soldiers and their friends when appealed to by Mr. Kipp to vote for him for congress because of his services in securing pensions should remind the Honorable Democratic gentleman that they have not forgotten how the soldiers, pensioners, and their widows fared during the Democratic-Cleveland administration. The soldiers have reason to remember the Democratic administration of the pension bureau under Hoke Smith.

When the fool gets too funny, he becomes tiresome.

IT CAN'T BE BOUGHT AGAIN.

A prominent citizen of Towanda in talking with the Reporter-Journal recently of the congressional contest now on said: "It is about this way. Mr. Kipp spent $40,0000 the other time and was elected. He is as anxious to succeed this time as he was the first time, and it is just a question of whether he can buy his way in. I don't believe he can."

We say the situation was correctly stated. Look at the conditions of the battle as they are today. This congressional district is one of the Republican strongholds. Three times only in its long history it has failed to send a Republican to Congress, and in every one of these three campaigns special and unusual conditions existed which accounted for the overturn of the normal Republican majority and the changed result. This is the old "Wilmot-Grow" district which term after term has piled up Republican majorities that have made it famous. There have been long stretches of Republican victory in this district when term after term the Democratic nomination was regarded as an empty honor and no one especially cared for it because no one cared to go to certain defeat. At the present time the district is emerging from one of its three lapses from political sanity. Two years ago a wealthy Democrat of Towanda saw there was a chance. There were factional quarrels in the dominant party and it was an off year, between Presidential elections. He put in his cash and won out in the district by a majority over his Republican opponent of 803 votes. He has enjoyed himself at Washington, political preferment is much to his liking, his barrel is well filled and he will take a chance again. It is a mighty uncertain venture this time, and he knows it, but he is nervy and nothing venture nothing have.

Two years ago Mr. Kipp was nominated because he had money and was elected because he spent money. Does anyone believe or has anyone ever other cause for his nomination, or that he would have won if he had been a poor man? No. The conditions attending his nomination and election were well understood and the facts we have stated have never been denied. That these things were so "went without saying."

Neither will anyone deny that his nomination for a second term a few months ago had any other reason than his wealth. If he wasn't a rich man he couldn't make the run with the slightest hope of success.

Let the Republican voters of the Fourteenth district look at the situation and reflect on it. It is up to them to say what the result shall be. Can the old "Wilmot-Grow" congressional district be bought again?

1908 is not 1906. Mr. Kipp's barrel is as deep and presumably as well filled as it was two years ago, but he cannot buy his way in this time. The reasons are several and they are good ones. We are in a Presidential year and there is no family quarrel; the Republican candidate is a strong one and the district under fair and normal conditions is good for a majority that will be several times Mr. Kipp's 803 of two years ago.

WHY THE CHANGE?

We have asked the Sayre Times-Record why it changed its course in regard to its support of Col. Pratt for Congress. But we have had no answer save this:

"One reason for the change in the Times-Record may have been caused by the fact that Mr. Kipp made an excellent congressman."

Well, if one reason of the change "may have been" that Mr. Kipp has made a good congressman, please tell us the other reason. We infer from the way the Times-Record words the sentence that there is another reason, and we remain curious about the matter. Come, speak up, what is the season of the change? The Times-Record carried its support of Mr. Pratt so far at the time of the primary election that it refused to print an advertisement for Captain Wilt to the effect that he would be a candidate at the primaries. Now, Mr. Editor of the Times-Record, let us have the other reason.

A NUGGET OF TRUTH.

The Bradford Star, Democratic, said last week: "A strong argument being made for Col. Charles C. Pratt, in his canvass for Congress from the Fourteenth district of Pennsylvania is:—that he is a Republican. This is an excellent argument to be put forth by a party in favor of its candidate."

How true this is. It is true as truth itself, true as the multiplication table, true as the law of gravitation, true as the stars, true as the tides, and truer than most things one sees in Democratic newspapers. And we commend it with all our heart and soul to the thoughtful consideration of every Republican voter in the grand old Republican Fourteenth Pennsylvania Congressional District. And when Democratic Congressman Kipp or any of his Democratic or ex-Republican helpers ask you to vote for him tell them you are a Republican and so is your candidate, and that the proper thing for a Republican to do on election day is to vote for a Republican and not for a Democrat.

C. C. Pratt, our candidate for Congress, called on us, and we were pleased to hear that the outlook in Bradford, Wyoming and Susquehanna counties is such that there is no question about the 14th Congressional District taking its place in the Republican column and giving its old time Republican majority. Mr. Pratt stated that nowhere in this Congressional District is there found a more honorable or upright set of people than the voters of Wayne county, and that the claim that Kipp was making, here and elsewhere, that they were purchasable, would be resented at the polls.—Honesdale Independent.

THE TWO ARGUMENTS.

The Kipp managers have two arguments they are using in this campaign, and only two. One is that Mr. Kipp has done a great deal for the soldiers in the way of getting pensions, and the other is that the Republican candidate, Mr. Pratt, is a resident of New York state rather than of the Fourteenth Pennsylvania Congressional District, and therefore, should not be chosen to represnet the latter.

We are very willing that Mr. Kipp should have all the credit he is entitled to for what he has done for the old soldier, but, as we have said before, we shall insist in this fight that whatever Mr. Kipp has done for the veteran he has been able to do by reason of laws passed by Republican voters. The pension laws of this country were passed by Republican congresses, Republican senates and signed by Republican Presidents. The Democratic minorities have mainly occupied themselves by finding fault because Republican pension appropriations were so large.

Mr. Kipp is a member of the committee on pensions of the 60th Congress. This committee is composed of seventeen members and ten of them are Republicans and seven Democrats. No pension claim can be passed unless there is a quorum present, that is nine members. There are not enough Democratic members to make a quorum and no pension claim can be passed without the aid of Republican votes. After a claim is passed by the committee it goes to the lower house and is passed by Republican votes. Then it goes to the senate and is there passed by Republican votes. Then it goes to a Republican President and is signed. Every pension law on the statute books today was put there by Republicans, and since the Civil War the country has paid to the soldiers and their widows and children more than three and a half billion dollars in pensions. What has the old soldier got in the way of pensions that he can thank the Democrats for?

We are entirely willing that Mr. Kipp shall have all the credit due him in the matter, but it strikes us that in view of the fact that the Republican party in paving the way by favorable legislation has made it possible for him to do what he has done, he is getting rather a large share of the credit.

As to the matter of the residence of Mr. Pratt, the Republican candidate, we have deemed the argument so trivial and far-fetched that it was hardy worth a reply. Mr. Pratt was born where he now lives, in New Milford, Susquehanna county, and has lived there all his life with the exception of seven years. He has there a large farm, is a heavy tax payer, there and lives there all the year round except in winter, which season he spends in Binghamton in order to give his children the advantage of the schools of that city. He does not own a dollar's worth of real estate in Binghamton and is there only temporarily. He is one of the best known men in Northeastern Pennsylvania and is held in the highest esteem by the community in whihc he has spent his life. At the primary election he received every vote in New Milford but three.

A CONTEMPTIBLE COURSE.

The Democratic newspapers of the district, and the Sayre Times-Record in particular, have tried to prejudice the candidacy of Moses Shields, Republican candidate for State Senator, by the accusation that he obtained, or attempted to obtain, his nomination by fraud. For some weeks the result of the primary election was in doubt, and a recount of several ballot boxes was had. Mr. Cross of Sayre, and Mr. Shields were about even in the count, and finally Mr. Cross withdrew. At the time of his withdrawal Mr. Shields was slightly in the lead and from no honorable source has there been an intimation that his title to the nomination was not clear. , It is gratifying to be able to announce that the attempts of the Democratic newspapers to make the people believe that Mr. Shields secured his nomination dishonestly have fallen flat, and have made absolutely no impression on the public mind. So unavailing has been the attempt, in fact, that the contemptible insinuations have largely ceased. Those who know Mr. Shields bset know him to be a man who would not stoop to such an act as was charged. There is not the slightest doubt of his election.

It is not expected that a single Democrat in Bradford county will vote for Pratt for Congress; nor should a single Republican be expected to vote for Kipp. Complimentary voting for national officers of the opposite party carries with it so much disloyalty to one's own partisans in other localities that it ceases to be just. The most serious flaw that anyone has been able to find in Col. Pratt, the Republican candidate for Congress in this district, is that he spends part of his time in Binghamton that his children may enjoy better school advantages than are available in his home town of New Milford. Bad business, going away to educate his family, but not half so serious a disqualification politically as engineering a dozen more or less heartless corporations while occupying a seat in congress.—Troy Gazette.

Col. C. C. Pratt of New Milford, Republican candidate for congress was on the fair grounds with his Democratic competitor, doing in his modest way all he could to hold his party in line and win votes. A gentleman, who on Tuesday had for the first time met the Colonel, remarked to a friend that he at once had won his admiration because he appeared to him like an exceedingly fine representative of an American citizen.—Honesdale Independent.

WHY A REPUBLICAN CONGRESS IS NEEDED.

As important as the election of Taft to the Presidency, is the election of a Congress pledged to support him.

Mr. Taft is a Republican whose administration will seek to perpetuate the policy of the government as now carried on. The perpetuity of this policy depends altogether on a Republican President and a Republican Congress. Even the election of Mr. Taft would be unavailing to complete the great work of the Roosevelt administration were he hampered and foiled at every turn by a hostile Democratic House of Representatives. To make President Taft's task of clinching the victories of the past seven years successful, he must be given a Congress in sympathy with his views and possessing the votes to place his recommendations on the statute books.

The principles and policies of Mr. Taft are the same identical principles and policies for which Republican Congressional candidates stand, and directly opposed thereto are Mr. Bryan and each Democratic candidate for Congress.

While we are recognizing the importance of electing the Republican candidate for President, we must not fail to recognize the necessity of electing Congressmen pledged to the same principles, whose support will be essential to secure the required legislation for the continuity of Republican policies.

All that has been said of Mr. Taft in relation to the issues of the campaign applies likewise to the fight for Congress. President Roosevelt makes this plain when he says:

"To fail to elect Mr. Taft would be a calamity to the country, and it would be folly, while electing him, yet at the same time to elect a Congress hostile to him, a Congress which under the influence of partisan leadership would be certain to thwart and baffle him on every possible occasion."

And again in these words:

"To elect Mr. Taft and at the same time elect a Congress pledged to support him is the only way in which to perpetuate the policy of the Government as now carried on. I feel that all the aid that can be given to this policy by every good citizen should be given, for this is far more than a merely partisan matter."

Public interest demands the election of Mr. Taft and at the same time a Congress which will support him. Taft and each Congressional candidate seek election on a platform which pledges specifically the Republican party, alike in its executive and legislative branches, to continue and develope the policies of the last seven years, known as the Roosevelt policies. Only by the hearty co-operation of the President and Congress in both branches can these policies be successfully developed and perfected, and harmony between them is of peculiar importance.

One backward step in the splendid fight for the people waged by President Roosevelt will mean a temporary defeat from which years may be required to recover. The crucial hour is at hand. We must decide that we want the Roosevelt policies carried on and made completely successful. Or we must reject them and assume the risk of making the fight all over again, bound to the radical Bryan and chaned to a Democratic Congress.

Shall we begin all over again relying on the visionary promises of Bryan and the Democracy, with whose stupendious follies of the past we are familiar—that past they would have us forget?

Republicans, you will vote for Mr. Taft because you believe in him and the policies he is pledged to carry out.

Would you see your President hampered at every turn by a hostile Congress? Would you see those policies you overwhelmingly support defeated by a Democratic House of Representatives? Would you, if the Republican party needed one vote in Congress to give President Taft decisive support, see your district represented by a Democrat who would vote with his party to thwart and baffle your President? Would you, if on your Congressman depends the complexion of the next House, give your vote to the Democratic party to paralyze and strangle the development of those policies you unquestionably favor?

This is not blind partisanship. It is a matter of living, potent principle. The leaders of both parties claim a majority in the next House of Representatives, and all admit that it is in doubt. If the next House should depend upon the vote of the Congressman from this district, will we throw its support to a Republican President by the election of a Republican Congressman?

Republicans of this district, you are Republicans because you believe in Republican principles as represented by Theodore Roosevelt and your candidate for President, William Howard Taft. Your candidate for Congress, is a Republican, for the same reasons that you are Republicans.

President Roosevelt and Mr. Taft ask you to vote for a Republican Congressman because the policies of the party are at stake. If you have the policies of your party at heart, can you afford to risk their success, their perpetuity, by voting for a Democratic Congressman?

Your President, your candidate for President, your party, expect your support. Your duty as men believing in the great policies of your party is plain. If you vote for the election of Mr. Taft, you should vote to give him a Republican Congressman from this district.—Wellsboro Advocate.

In spite of the claims and promises of Mr. Kipp of what he has done and will do for the soldiers, if they will only vote for him, he cant blot out the history of his party, and the record it has made in the past, in its opposition to the soldiers and pension legislation.

THE AUTO IN POLITICS.

Judging from the trend of events, it is not difficult to see the political finish of Hon. George W. Kipp, congressman from the Wayne, Bradford, Susquehanna and Wyoming district. This district, down on the map as the Fourteenth, is celebrated as the old Wilmot-Grow stronghold, and Mr. Kipp is the only Democrat aside from George A. Post, who has ever been able to break the spell of Republicanism. Owing to dissatisfaction within the party lines at the last congressional election, Mr. Kipp was elected by a small majority. During the campaign, its alleged, Kipp stole the hearts of his countrymen by gumshoe, sockless, one suspender campaign. In his tramp across the hills through the beautiful valleys of Northeastern Pennsylvania, Kipp posed as a true son of the soil, and the agricultural districts rallied to the support of the dissatisfied partisans in the towns, and for the first time in many years the grand old Fourteenth returned a majority against a Republican candidate.

Of Mr. Kipp's congressional career but little is known. It is altogether likely that he may have voted on the proper side of some measures of importance, and perhaps gained distinction by occasionally making a motion to adjourn. But history and the press agents are silent upon the main accomplishments of Mr. Kipp while representing the most prosperous of the farming belts of Pennsylvania in the lower house of congress. Under the circumstances it is not surprising that Mr. Kipp should again be a candidate this fall. But his campaign methods have caused all concerned to "stop, look and listen."

Intelligence from nearby sections proves beyond a doubt that the patriot who modestly sought the support of plutocrat haters during the former campaign is this season dashing about the country in an automobile accompanied by a lot of Towanda aristocrats, who if put to the test probably could not tell the difference between a pumpkin vine and a sprig of catnip. What should cause a candidate, representing the party that professes to travel at no pace more rapid than that allowed by the rule of Jeffersonian simplicity, to flit about the country in a swell auto car and flaunt dust and gasoline odors upon the breeze to the discomfort of his constituents, it is difficult to imagine. In any event the evolution from Democracy to plutocracy seems to have been complete. Congressman Kipp can no longer claim to be the champion of the common people. The "honk" of his touring car makes a noise just like that of one of the noted agents of the money devil.—Scranton Tribune.

"The Auto in Politics" is the caption of an article in this paper this week taken from the Scranton Tribune. It presents to the mind's eye a pleasing picture of Congressman Kipp and his car of "Towanda aristocrats" rolling around the Fourteenth district in an expensive automobile and soliciting votes from the honest and humble sons of toil. Such a dazzling turnout as the wealthy lumberman candidate can afford to flash before the surprised eyes of the yeomanry of the four counties may lure a few votes from their Republican moorings, but we think not many. The honest farmer probably smiles and contrasts the brilliant car and the 50-mile-an-hour pace of the "Towanda aristocrats" with what he knows of Jefferson simplicity. We advise Mr. Kipp, if he wishes to preserve the traditions of true Democratic Jeffersonian simplicity, to tuck his trousers in his boot tops and go afoot.

This country does not want for president a political adventurer whose appearance as a national figure was on the back of a proposition to depreciate the national currency. And this Fourteenth Pennsylvania congressional district, which has sent to national councils such Republicans as David Wilmot and Galusha Grow, does not want to be represented by a Democrat oftener than can be helped. George W. Kipp cannot be retired until he has served one more session, but the votes to be cast on November third will tell him that as a national legislator his services will not be required after March 4th, next. Col. Charles C. Pratt of Susquehanna county, is a Republican and so is the district. It is a good plan for Republicans to be represented by a Republican.

The local Democratic leaders are sorely perplexed. Some weeks ago there was a rosy hue lingering about at least two of the Democratic nominees, but now the rosiness has given way to blackness, which bodes no good for the two that were to be. The Republican leaders, they who were doing the worrying some weeks ago, are now breathing more easily, saying that things are commencing to come their way. They expect to carry the county for the entire ticket by at least 2,500 majority. One of the foremost Democratic leaders has conceded the county to the Republicans, and this after making a careful survey of the ground.—Towanda correspondence in Elmira Telegram.

One of Mr. Kipp's favorite roles in the campaign of two years ago was that of corporation killer. His letter of acceptance was eloquent in telling how he would tackle the corrupt corporations when he arrived in congress. Before the campaign was over it was shown that Mr. Kipp was connected with more corporations than any man in this part of the state, and then the candidate took off his anti-corporation robes and as far as this particular claim was concerned went way back and sat down. We havn't heard much this year about how he is going to slaughter the corporations.

NEW YORK FOR TAFT.

While none can regard the New York Herald as prejudiced for Taft, since it is recognized as espousing the cause of the Nebraska Peerless One this campaign, that journal in its issue of Sunday last in a review of the conditions in this state declares: "Mr. Taft, according to all surface indications, at present holds New York state. It apparently will require a political convulsion or revolution in the remaining weeks of the campaign to dislodge him from his position." Concerning the Gubernatorial fight the same newspaper says: "Mr. Chanler's chances now seem superior to those of Mr. Hughes for Governor. But in the opinion of many political observers the full strength of the opposition to the present Governor developed early in the campaign. They declare it is now at flood tide and is likely to recede during the coming month. The vigorous whirlwind campaign which the Governor is about to begin, his supporters believe, will do much to swing the state. The machine Republican leaders, who dislike Mr. Hughes, declare he is one of the most effective campaigners of his generation." The preceding paragraphs sum up the situation as the Herald finds it after a careful preliminary canvass of the entire state. There are not likely to be any heavy pluralities either way. The most sanguine Republicans do not expect Mr. Taft to carry the State by more than 50,000. Where a plurality is claimed for Mr. Hughes the figures are placed very low. The Democrats hope to elect Mr. Chanler by 50,000 and some of them figure out a small plurality for Mr. Bryan. The Germans, as a rle, are opposed to Mr. Hughes. This is especially noticeable in Buffalo, Rochester, and other cities, where his vote is a large percentage of the whole. A number of Germans in Buffalo have contributed to the Republican campaign fund with a distinct proviso that not a cent of the money shall be used for the Republican State ticket. Most of the brewers are actively opposing Mr. Hughes.

THINK OF IT, REPUBLICANS.

When the Democratic newspapers of the district are boasting that their candidate for congress, Mr. George W. Kipp, will oppose a Republican candidate for speaker of the house it is time for Republicans, who can have their own way if they will, to do their utmost to defeat him. For one of the most important offices in our entire scheme of government is speaker of the house, who to a very large extent controls the legislation of Congress. Consider the "gall" of our Democratic candidate. He wants to be returned to Congress and knows he cannot unless he persuades a good many Republicans to vote for him. He is hard after them now, and an automobile campaign is being conducted in every county in the district. At the same time his organ in Towanda, the Argus, is assuring the voters that Mr. Kipp will be dead against a Republican candidate for speaker of the house. It would seem as if that is a matter Mr. Kipp would keep still about, and, candidly, we have no doubt the Argus has spoken without consulting him. For surely if Mr. Kipp intends fighting Republicans after election it is not good policy to tell about it now, when he is trying to get them to support him.

The Argus has blundered, evidently. Let Mr. Kipp speak for himself and say what he would do. Will he? Not much. Mr. Kipp daren't open his mouth about it. We challenged him on the matter last week, and asked him to announce himself. But he won't answer, because he dare not. How do Republicans like the situation?

Fine thing, this—having a man begging you to vote for him and his organ saying openly that he will knife your party if elected.

Col. C. C. Pratt, the Republican nominee for Congress from this district, says: "If the office of Congressman is up for sale to the highest bidder, count me out, as I will buy no man, nor will I buy any office." Col. Pratt is a true American, a true Republican, and he is not afraid to stand up for what he believes to be right and just. In him the Republicans in this district have a candidate to be proud of.—Republican and New-Age, Tunkhannock.

TELL US ABOUT TARIFF, MR. KIPP.

In the campaign of two years ago, when Congressman Kipp "and his wad" were first elected, the candidate had a lot to say in his letter of acceptance about allowing Phillipine tobacco to come in free of tax. After the letter of acceptance came out he saw he had put his foot in it and closed up like a clam, and from that day to this has been mum as a mummy on the tariff and on pretty near every thing else, except pensions. The tariff will be revised on safe lines if Mr. Taft is elected, and cut down to a revenue basis, or free trade inaugurated, if Bryan is elected. The tariff is much more to the front now than it was two years ago, but Congressman Kipp says not a word about it and sings only the pension song. He is a second time asking Republicans to vote for him, and many Republicans who haven't any pensions and are not trying to get one, and couldn't get one if they tried, are thinking about the tariff. Won't Mr. Kipp make a speech somewhere in the district and tell what he knows about the tariff? How long would it take him? Or if he can't make a speech (he should be able to make some kind of a speech, being a congressman) wont he write an open letter to the voters and tell them about the tariff? A nice, friendly letter—one that he has really and truly written himself. Come, let us hear from you on the tariff, Congressman Kipp.

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A TRUMPED UP ISSUE.

The Democrats are straining for an "issue" and are having a hard time to find one. They have discovered that Col. Pratt, Republican candidate for congress, spends his winters in Binghamton and that the cause of his going there is that he desires to have his children in the Binghamton schools. This, they aver, is a serious matter, and they are telling from one end of the district to the other that Col. Pratt is disqualified for service as a congressman from a Pennsylvania district because of it. If they would tell the facts—the truth of the matter, the tale would sound so silly that whoever they told it to would laugh in their face, so they lie about it—for Democrats will lie—and say that Mr. Pratt spends ten months of the year in Binghamton.

The truth is that Mr. Pratt is as much a resident of the Fourteenth district as is Mr. Kipp. He was born in New Milford and has lived there all his life but seven years, which he spent in Binghamton. As to Mr. Pratt's citizenship—the kind and quality of it, a great deal might be said. He is an exemplary citizen and is held in high esteem by the people of Susquehanna county. At the primary elections last spring there were only three votes cast against him in New Milford. He pays large taxes and conducts a farm of 250 acres. He has given to the town of New Milford a splendid public library. We doubt if there can be found in the district a man who has more thoroughly identified himself with the interests of the community in which he lives.

What about Mr. Kipp? Where was he born? Over in Pike county, which is not in the Fourteenth district. As to the place of birth, then, he is not as well "qualified" as is Mr. Pratt, who was born in Susquehanna county. Mr. Kipp lived out of the district for years in his youth and then moved into Wayne county, which is in the Fourteenth district. After that he came to Bradford county, but spent a large portion of his time in western counties where he is engaged in lumbering. He has also large railroad interests in Canada which oblige him to spend much time there.

Mr. Kipp has spent more of his time outside of the Fourteenth district than has Mr. Pratt. His home for many years was not in the Fourteenth district.

Sensible people will ask—Well, what of it all? Suppose Mr. Pratt does spend a part of his winters in Binghamton and Mr. Kipp was born outside the district? What has all this to do with their eligibility as members of congress from this district? Nothing whatever, we answer. The whole discussion is trivial, farfetched, irrelevant and silly. We have only referred to Mr. Kipp's nonresidence in the district for a portion of his life in order to illustrate the utter absurdity of the arguments that Mr. Pratt is unfit for congressional honors from this district because he spends a portion of the winter in Binghamton while his children attend school there. One argument is as good as the other and neither of them is worthy to be offered to a voter who isn't a fool.

WHAT IS THE MATTER?

"What is the matter with the Sayre Times," asks the Bradford Argus. Well, we will tell Brother Parsons in strict confidence, however, that one thing that is the matter is that the Times has usurped the place and the duties so long and so honorably held by the Argus as a chief organ of the Democratic party in this county. It is receiving most of the patronage and doing most of the newspaper work for that party. It is giving in return the most maudlin and blundering support that ever wrecked newspaper or party. While the Argus has grown gray and round-shouldered in carrying the burdens of Democracy and fighting its battles, the Times has never been near enough to even smell the breath of battle. And, now, behold the ingratitude of the political boss! While the Argus languishes and starves for want of political nourishment the Times revels riotously in its wealth and "unearned usufruct." Such unnatural treatment can be explained only on the theory that as a loyal partisan paper the Argus is expected to support the ticket anyway and the party wad is used elsewhere to feed the itching palms of those newspapers that sell their principles and their support as they do merchandise. But whatever the reason the fact remains, the historic old Argus has a following and an influence that no new born zealot can exert. One blast of its dread horn is worth a thousand feeble pipings of the irresponsible and mendacious sheet that has usurped its place.

The voters this year can't claim that they had no opportunity to say who they wanted nominated for the various offices. The Uniform Primary law has eliminated the cry of "boss convention," "early convention" or "ring dictation" in the nominations. If you are a Republican, and participated in the primary election, and the candidate is a fit and competent man for the office, then you ought to be willing to vote for the candidate nominated even though he may not have been your personal choice.

WHO IS THE FOREIGNER?

C. C. Pratt, the Republican candidate for Congress, was born in New Milford, Susquehanna county, and resieds there; he is the owner and manager of 250 acres of land; he has also, business interests and investments in the thriving city of Binghamton, less than 25 miles from his home. G. W. Kipp, the Democratic candidate for Congress, was born in Pike county, resides in Towanda, Bradford county; is the owner of a fine house and lot; is part owner of the Towanda Water Works company; is president of a railroad in Canada; an officer and part owner in a trolley railroad at Punxsutawney; has large interests in lumbering in West Virginia, etc.

If Mr. Kipp thought it necessary to protect and manage his investments in Canada or elsewhere he would spend as much of his time at those places as he deemed necessary. If Mr. Pratt is a legal and bona fide resident of New Milford, Pa., which he is, and spends a portion of his time in New York, Philadelphia, Binghamton or Scranton looking after and managing his investments there, how does this militate against him as a candidate for Congress, any more than it does against Mr. Kipp, who has money invested in various enterprises in Pennsylvania, Canada and West Virginia?

Will Captain Wilt support Colonel Pratt for congress? asks a reader of this paper. Evidently the man who asks this question does not know Mr. Wilt for if he did he would not ask it. His Republicanism is too genuine and too deeply grounded in principle to be affected by disappointment or defeat. Although defeated by Colonel Pratt for the congressional nomination he is giving that gentleman his most earnest and helpful support. Captain Wilt's Republicanism is like his patriotism—it never falters or fails in time of danger or defeat. And there are a lot more good soldiers just like him in the county whose Republicanism is a matter of conviction and cannot be seduced by the specious promises of self-seeking Democratic politicians.

George Kipp of Towanda, Democratic candidate for Congress, is touring the district in an auto trying to work the old soldiers for their vote on the strength of his being a member of the committee on pensions. It's going to take more of an argument than his record in the congressional halls to elect him in the old Grow-Wilmot district this Fall. A factional fight proved his salvation in 1906, but with the existing harmony in Republican ranks the handwriting on the wall spells Pratt.—Montrose Republican.

There are nearly one million names on the United States pension rolls and the Republican party put them there. Since the War of the Rebellion between three and a half billion dollars have been paid in pensions. One might think from the talk of some of Candidate Kipp's clackers that the money to pay this enormous sum all came out of Mr. Kipp's pocket.

Republicans, whether Soldiers or not, should not forget that the next congress will have legislation of great importance to the whole country, other than private and special pension bills to act upon. If they believe in the Roosevelt policies and the principles of the Republican party they should vote for the Republican candidate for congress.

RIVER ROAD BLOCKED.

Big Fall of Dirt on Saturday Near James Street Bridge.

Another big fall of rock and dirt in the highway leading to Hornbrook, less than a quarter of a mile below the new James street bridge, on Saturday, rendered the highway at that point impassable for teams. A single rig could get by if much care was used and the driver got out and lead his horse over the top of the obstruction. This is the third slide of this kind at this point within a year, and but emphasizes the wisdom of building the James street bridge.

It also emphasizes the necessity of some one building the approach at the East end of the new bridge, which The Review is informed the Wysox township commissioners refuse to do. It was generally understood and believed that in consideration of being allowed to abandon the expensive and dangerous road from the East Towanda station to the new bridge, Wysox township would build this approach. Unless it is built it is hardly probable the authorities will be allowed to close the road in question.

The approach consists of a fill, which competent authorities estimate would not cost to exceed $300. The Towanda Business Men's association has already completed the building of the approach at the West end of the bridge.

Brick Pave for Wyalusing.

A petition has been presented to most of the voters of Wyalusing borough during the past few days, and is being presented to the balance as rapidly as they can be seen, asking that Main street and a part of Taylor avenue be paved with brick. Of nearly 150 voters seen so far there have been only three who refused to sign the petition, and if we may judge from this, the vote at the election to be held November 6, will be quite unanimous in favor of issuing the bonds for the payment of the brick paving from curb to curb and to change the present debt of the borough from a five and six per cent. basis to a four per cent. bond. Of course this is only a "straw vote" but it shows plainly that the people are in favor of this public improvement and desire to have the expense scattered over a period of years rather than in the form of outstanding orders due at any time.—Rocket.

WILL MEET IN SHAMOKIN.

Annual Convention of State Sabbath School Association Oct. 14-16.

Shamokin is preparing to entertain the greatest gathering of Sunday school workers ever held within the borders of the state. Like Jerusalem of old, Shamokin will be the Mecca to which thousands of Sunday school teachers, superintendents and pastors will journey Oct. 14, 15 and 16. The occasion will be the forty-fourth annual Convention of the Pennsylvania State Sabbath School association.

Pennsylvania is the greatest Sunday school state in the union. The latest statistics show there are 11,,065 schools with an enrollment of over 1,500,000 officers, teachers and scholars. The State association has a complete system of organization in every county of the state. The meeting at Shamokin will be a delegated body, and it is expected that fully 1,500 regularly appointed delegates, representing all denominations, will attend this conventoin.

The program is an unusually attractive one. Prof. E. O. Excell of Chicago, with a large chorus organized for the occasion, will lead the singing. Addresses from Hon. John Wanamaker, H. J. Heinz, Rev. Charles Stelzle, Hon. William Berry, Dr. James M. Gray and others are scheduled.

A feature of the convention will be the house visitation of Shamokin. Shamokin has a population of 35,000 people, and it is purposed to take a religious census of the city in two hours.

The Teacher Training Alumni association, now numbering over 6,000, will hold its annual banquet at this time.

WHERE EELS SPAWN.

Two Newspapers Are Telling Where the Slimy Ones Come From.

The Nicholson Examiner recently spoke of eels going far up the streams in Spring to spawn, returning with the first frosts of September to the ocean to spend the Winter. The Honesdale Citizen thinks that The Examiner is in error as to the habits of eels, and reverses the order and object of their immigration. The Citizen says:

The best authorities say that the eels which descend to estuaries or the sea, deposit their spawn there, and that countless multitudes of young eels ascend rivers in Spring. In fact, the writer, while hoping to land a trout from under Park Lake dam at the opening of the season has seen thousands of them, smaller than a lead pencil maknfg their way up stream. So strong is the instinct which impels them that they surmount obstacles apparently far more than sufficient to arrest their progress, and they are even known to perform migrations on land among moist grass. Towards Winter, when well grown, they descend to brackish or salt water because of their aversion to cold, and to perpetuate their species by spawning.

Fever Situation Improving.

The scarlet fever cases near Wyalusing have been kept confined to the homes in Browntown and Taylorville where the disease first showed itself. At those two places there are now 11 cases, all of which are gaining finely. There are six cases in the Casselberry family, three at G. R. Howard's, and one at Noble Lattimore's at Browntown, and one at Glenn Schrader's at Taylorville. On Monday, after the Wyalusing borough school hause had been given a thorough disinfecting by Health Officer Lewis, the schools re-opened with almost the full attendance of pupils, less those who are at present quarantined. The local physicians state that there is almost no danger of the disease spreading outside of the families now affected and which are under quarantine, and that it is only a matter of a short time before scarlet fever will be completely wiped out of this vicinity.—Rocket.

Young Lady Badly Burned.

Miss Edith Poole, daughter of George E. Poole of Cherry street, was very seriously burned on Monday morning by her clothing catching fire from a bonfire which she attempted to extinguish. One side and one arm were terribly burned and the more serious consequences were only prevented by the quick work of neighbors who tore the burning clothing from her person. Some boys had built a bonfire of leaves and Miss Poole, fearing it would communicate with their barn, attempted to extinguish it.

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RIGHT ON THE JOB.

Aurora Borealis Was Doing Funny Stunts Tuesday Night.

The man who wasn't afraid to go home in the dark Tuesday night might have thought he was suffering from an opital illusion or that the bartender had given him one that he hadn't called for when he looked up at the heavens, which were emblazoned with dancing columns of light illuminating the milky way and the other thoroughfares of the upper world. Venus might have been entertaining with a fife dance or better still she may have been introducing the "Salome" dance to the inhabitants of the upper crust.

Superstitions were made to look ridiculous when one of Towanda's wisest and best read citizens with a regular Soloman like countenance came into the office and informed us that the Aurora Borealis was itself again and that which we had been craning our necks at was it. Just as if we didn't know it all the time.

Dusting our knowledge of astronomy a bit we find that the phenomenon was in truth old Borealis, better known as the Northern lights, comprising irregular patches and columns of lights of rapidly changing forms due in all probability to electrical discharges in the air.

HORSE RETURNED.

W. T. Horton's Driving Outfit Found on Fair Ground Friday Morning.

The driving outfit belonging to former sheriff W. T. Horton of Towanda, which was taken from the fair grounds Thursday afternoon, was found on the grounds about 6 o'clock Friday morning.

The horse was almost a lather of sweat, having been driven very hard by the party who appropriated the rig. Evidently the outfit was made use of and then returned to the grounds where the horse was hitched to a tree. A light blanket had been thrown over the horse. The carriage was completely covered with mud, and the entire outfit showed unmistakable signs of having been driven a long distance.

Bosworth Reunion.

Members of the Bosworth family gathered Saturday, Sept. 26, at the home of W. A. Bosworth, at Wiliwana, in their first reunion. They were all descendants of David and Fannie Bosworth, who passed their last days on the farm where the reunion was held. There were present members of this family from Binghamton, Bath, Elmira, Lowman, Waverly, Chemung and Tioga Centre, N. Y., also from Pittston, Towanda and Wiliwana. The next meeting will be held at the same place, Sept. 7, 1909. The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President, B. T. Bosworth; vice-president, J. L. Bosworth; secretary, Mrs. J. H. Repp; treasurer, Mrs. T. B. Smeaton, historian, W. A. Bosworth; committee on entertainment, Mrs. Laura Ball, Mrs. G. M. Bosworth, Mrs. Orr Griswold and Mrs. W. A. Bosworth, Jr.

Under New Management.

F. L. Taylor has taken his son, S. Bird Taylor, into partnership in the publishing of the New Albany Mirror, and the paper was issued this week under the new management. The publication will be continued along the same lines as followed by the original and genial Frem, who has made the Mirror one of the most pleasant of places to glance in, newspaperistically speaking. Two heads are better than one, is an old saying and if it holds good in this instance, the Mirror, newsy and interesting as it has been, is bound to reflect even more brightly under the guidance of father and son. Success and prosperity to the new management.

Bradford County Directory.

During October, readers of this paper may purchase copies of the County directory (edition 1907-8) for $2.19 delivered or for $2.00 at the Court House, Towanda. It contains the names of more than 24,000 persons together with their postoffice (and route) addresses and occupations and much other information. There is included an up-to-date map showing streams, township divisions, roads, R. F. D. routes, postoffices, and hamlets. No household can afford to do without the information this book contains. Address Ida K. Layton, Towanda, Pa.

Honor Roll.

The pupils of Woodland school, Standing Stone township who have been perfect in attendance during the month of September are as follows: Golda Jones, Mildred Benjamin, Frances McKenna, Jennie Swackhammer, Lleta Swackhammer, Mary Kinne, Inez Buttles, Ruth VanKuren, Audrey VanKuren, William Baker, Robert Baker, Gordon Jones, Charley Benjamin. Alice Foley, teacher.

Lake Wesauking School.

Pupils of Lake Wesauking school, who have neither been absent or tardy for the first month ending Sept. 25: Harlow White, Allen Drake, Olive Webb, John White, Lois Webb, Tracy Dutcher, Albert Lent, Frank Barnes, Stephen Dutcher and Helen Webb.

Fell From Horse.

John Cowles, a six years old boy, was thrown from the back of a horse at the home of his parents in Orwell Saturday and received a fracture to both bones of his right forearm. He was taken to the Packer hospital to have the fractures reduced.

Register's Office News.

Will of John H. Scovell, late of Towanda township, deceased, admitted to probate. Letters of administration upon the estate of Oscar Shores, late of Sheshequin township, deceased, granted to Emma Shores.

SAYRE BUT LITTLE AFFECTED.

Abolishment of Pennsylvania Division May Not Depopulate Shop Town.

The abolishment of the Pennsylvania division of the Lehigh which became effective yesterday, may not, after all depopulate Sayre as was first supposed. At present, but few of the train crews will be compelled to change their places of residence, and the big shops, the real life of the village, will continue as heretofore, with the exception of changes in management.

Here are the changes as enumerated by the Sayre Times-Record:

C. W. Kinney formerly superintendent of the Pennsylvania division assumes charge of the Auburn division.

C. J. Shea, tarinmaster of the Buffalo division under R. W. Baxter the superintendent, comes to sayre and will act as assistant superintendent of the Buffalo division, with headquarters at Sayre.

John Pickley, trainmaster of the Pennsylvania division, under the change, will become trainmaster of the Buffalo division, with territory extending from Manchester to Sayre.

C. A. Austin, assistant trainmaster of the Pennsylvania division, becomes trainmaster of the Wyoming division with territory extending from Sayre to Coxton.

A. W. Whiteford, superintendent of the Lehigh system shops, assumes charge of the Lehigh car shops in Sayre, in addition to his work of supervision of the system shops in Sayre.

P. J. Flynn, formerly a resident of Sayre, now general yard master of the Lehigh yards at Buffalo, succeeds Mr. Shea as trainmaster of the Buffalo division, his territory extending from Buffalo to Manchester.

N. L. Moon, superintendent of the Wyoming division takes over that part of the Pennsylvania division between Sayre and Coxton. He has appointed W. M. Kennedy division engineer of the Pennsylvania division to the same position on the Wyoming division. The present division engineer of the Wyoming division, a man named Zaner, will become assistant division engineer under Mr. Kennedy. He further announced that W. R. Fulford, J .J. Barron and F. S. Mitten, the dispatchers, would be transferred to Wilkes-Barre.

The Hughsville Fair.

The thirty-eighth annual fair of the Muncy Valley Farmers Club will be held at Hughsville, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, October 13, 14, 15, and 16. The Hughsville Fair is the only fair in Lycoming county, and is recognized as being one of the best fairs in Central Pennsylvania. This year the management are planning to excel all previous exhibitions. The date has been changed to nearly a month later than usual in order to accommodate the farmers and this fact along with the largely increased premiums offered will attract the greatest exhibition of stock and products ever displayed.

Newspapers Warned.

The postoffice authorities have given warning to newspapers that the law governing the publication of lucky number holders in raffles and other things will be strictly enforced from now on. The warning states that newspaper publishers will exercise more care in the future and not publish anything regarding guessing contests or any proposition wherein there is the slightest chance of lottery or chance scheme. The penalty for the violation is the withdrawal of the paper from the mails.

Fine Seedling Apples.

Among the exhibits of choice apples of the fair last week was that of John Camp of Herrick. A seedling which he has named the Isabel, attracted the attention of apple growers.

Will Not Press Tax Matter.

At a regular meeting of the Sayre borough council Monday evening, it was decided by resolution not to press the matter of the collecting of taxes assessed against the Lehigh shops. The school board took similar action a week ago, if the county commissioners do not take the matter up, the Lehigh will not be forced to pay taxes on the shops this year.

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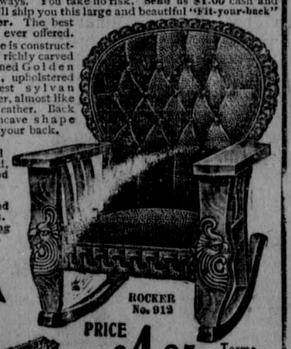

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HELD TO COURT.

Patrick Kennedy's Case Will Go Before Next Grand Jury.

Patrick Kennedy, the man who shot and seriously wounded County Detective McCracken and Dr. D. Leonard Pratt on the evening of Wednesday, Sept. 17, will be called upon to answer in court for his terrible deed.

He was given a hearing before 'Squire Orcutt Monday morning, and held to the next grand jury on the charge of assault with intent to kill Dr. D. L. Pratt. The defendant was represented by J. N. Califf, Esq., while District Attorney Mitchell represented the commonwealth. Four witnesses were examined in behalf of the Commonwealth—Special Officer A. R. Brutzman, who arrested Kennedy after the shooting, Attorney Benjamin Kuykendall, Jr., Harold Morris and William Kinney, who witnessed part of the affray. No testimony was affered by the defense, and after hearing the commonwealth's four witnesses, 'Squire Orcutt committed the defendant to jail to await the action of the next grand jury.

Kennedy will be charged with shooting Detective McCracken at a later date.

PROPOSED FISH LAW CHANGES.

State Sportsmen's Association Will Increase Punishment for Dynamiting.

The legislation committee of the Pennsylvania Sportsmen's association proposes to not only make an effort to secure a law which they consider equitable, but will also ask the legislature to take steps to make the punishment for dynamiting streams so severe that people will be deterred from that practice, which has become common in many parts of the state in spite of the state wardens.

Now there is a penalty of $100 fine and six months in jail for putting off dynamite, electric currents or throwing poisons into fish streams. The proposed law will make the fine $500 and require that only companies or contractors engaged in engineering work shall be allowed to receive permits to dynamite streams.

In addition, the proposed bill allows the right of appeal to court denied to fishermen who have been forced to summary conviction on oath of a warden and refuses to allow the state fisheries commission to interpret the law, requiring that a court pass upon questions.

Arbitrators Chosen.

Moses Marcy, G. M. Clark and William Foyle have been chosen arbitrators to hear the suit of Mary Rogers vs. Francis Kellogg, in the court house on Oct. 20.

KILLED ON HIS BIRTHDAY.

Allen Schrimp of Sayre, Meets Horrible Fate Under Wheels of Train.

Allen Schrimp of Sayre, a brakeman employed by the Lehigh, was killed by the train on which he was working at Meshoppen Thursday morning about 7 o'clock. How he came to meet death in such a terrible manner is not known, as no one witnessed the accident, but he fell under the train, and the wheels passed over his body cutting him in two. The first person who saw him was the flagman on the train who noticed the body after the train had passed over. While working on the West end Schrimp had been sent on the trip East. He had been in the caboose eating his lunch and started over the train to the engine as he was running head brake. After he had been gone a few minutes the flagman saw his body.

The dead man was 21 years old yesterday, and had been running on the road for the last two years. Before that time he had worked in the Sayre shop and was employed for a time as messenger boy at the Sayre telegraph office. He was born at Weatherly, Pa., and had been a resident of Sayre for the last eight years.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Schrimp; two brothers, Harry and George Schrimp; two sisters, Mrs. Louis Field and Miss Debbie Schrimp, all of Saayre.

DR. MARSHALL TO THE FRONT.

Native of Rome Township Figures in Tuberculosis Congress Work.

A native of Bradford county, Dr. C. J. Marshall, who was born in Rome township, is playing an important part in the great International Congress on Tuberculosis now in session in Washington. This is what the New York Times says of Mr. Marshall:

"The veterinary expert, C. J. Marshall of Philadelphia, read a paper on the utility of tuberculin in diagnosing cattle, and said that after 15 years of careful study of the effects of this treatment he was yet to find a single case where the results had been harmful. By the use of tuberculin, he said, the diseased cattle can be discovered, and by isolating them the disease can gradually be eliminated from a herd. Dr. Alva Moore of Ithaca supported this paper."

Tunkhannock's Electric Light Plant.

The electric light company at Tunkhannock are putting in an entirely new electric light plant in the old flour mill at their water power site on the Tunkhannock creek. Connections are being made so that the dynamos may be run either by water or steam, the latter being used only when there is not sufficient water.

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GUFFEY MEN NOW LAUGHING

With the Oklahoma Steam Roller Machinist in Disrepute and the New National Committeeman From This State Uncovered, the Pittsburg Colonel Seems to Have Had His Revenge.

[Special Correspondence.]

New York, Oct. 6.

Pennsylvanians, both Republicans and Democrats, will be interested in disclosures made by a correspondent of the New York Sun regarding the corporation connections of Bryan's intimate friend, James Kerr, of Clearfield, Pa., whom he catapaulted into the Democratic national committee at Denver after the Haskell steam roller, at Bryan's direction, had crushed out Colonel James M. Guffey, who had not only subscribed many thousands of dollars to Bryan's campaign funds, but also furnished free of cost the stained glass windows which adorn the Bryan household at Lincoln.

Haskell, owing to the exposure of his Standard Oil connections, has had to retire from the treasurership of the Democratic national committee.

But Kerr still holds on.

Kerr and Corporations.

Here is what a New York Sun correspondent has just written about Mr. Kerr:

"To the accompaniment of the blare of trumpets and the waving of many flags, Colonel James M. Guffey, of Pennsylvania, was convicted at Denver of the unpardonable sin of being a corporation man, and the spotless James Kerr was installed in his place as Democratic national committeeman from the Keystone state. Never mind the fact that Colonel Guffey was the selection by a large majority of the properly constituted delegation of Democrats of his state. The state is hopelessly for Taft anyway, and therefore personal animosities must be gratified while the ancient bluff of 'peepul' is carried out.

"The Peerless Leader therefore smiled expansively and the faithful cohorts chortled for joy when the wicked Mr. Guffey was exiled and that well-known corporation hater, 'free from spot or blemish or any such thing,' was presented faultless before the representatives of the downtrodden masses!

"But what is this we find? Upon taking up the Directory of Directors for the year 1907-08—a satanic roll of malefactors, appropriately bound in red—we discover on page 347 the following entry:

A Pretty Good List.

"'Kerr, James, president and director Beech Creek Coal & Coke company, 17 Battery place.

"'American Union Telephone company, Harrisburg, Pa., director.

"'Automatic Coaling & Weighing Barge company, of Delaware, president and director.

"'Beech Creek Railroad company, director.

"'Chest Creek Railroad company, director.

"'Clearfield Manufacturing company, president and director.

"'Clearfield Trust company, director.

"'Commonwealth Coal & Coke company, president and director.

"'Farmers' bank, of Indiana, Pa. director.

"'First National bank, Patton, Pa., director.

"'Hooverhurst & Southwestern railroad, president and director.

"'Iroquois China company, president and director.

"'National Corporation Securities company, president and director.

"'New York Weighing Barge & Coaling company, president and director.

"'North River Coal & Wharf company, president and director.

"'O'Gara Coal company, director.

"'Pennsylvania, Beech Creek & Eastern Coal company, president and director.

"'Pennsylvania Coal & Coke company, director.

"'Pennsylvania Construction & Investment company, president and director.

"'Philadelphia Record, director.

"'Potts Run Land company, president and director.'

Looking Backward.

"As the late Hon. Henry Clay Barnabee was wont feelingly to remark: 'Another fond hope shattered!'

"Can this exalted apostle of civic righteousness be the same James Kerr who for years has shared with that other disinterested Democrat and one time candidate for governor of New York, the Hon. John B. Stanchfield, the distinction—representible but remunerative—of safeguarding the interests of the New York Central in the regions which lie between Geneva on the north and Williamsport on the south? Can this same Mr. Kerr be the immaculate defender of the 'peepul's' ri[illegible]he in the organization of the N[illegible]York Central's coal corporation, [illegible] Creek Coal & Coke com[illegible] is his office and 'created w[illegible] signing up an artistic collec[illegible] common stock certificates wh[illegible] not heavily weighed down by[illegible]ysical assets as equity

"Alas! Alas! How are the mighty fallen and the weapons of war perished! IT IS TO LAUGH."

Taft to Farmers.

Pennsylvania farmers will be interested in the speeches being made by Judge Taft in the west, especially his references to the beneficial results of the enforcement of the Republican policy of a protective tariff.

At Dodge City a sign had been placed on a grain elevator which read: "Wheat, 1908, 92 cents, Republican rule; wheat, 55 cents, Democratic rule."

Taking notice of the sign, Mr. Taft said to his large audience:

"I have statistics a little more complete than that. The average price of corn in Kansas in '96, after four years of Democratic rule, was 18 cents per bushel. Now it is more than 44 cents per bushel. This Republican price of 44 cents for corn in Kansas gave to the farmers of Kansas for their corn crop of 1907 more than $40,000,000 in excess of what they would have received if they had sold at the Democratic price of 18 cents.

"With respect to wheat, in which I think this community is rather more interested than corn, the average price of wheat in Kansas for the four Democratic years was 49 cents per bushel. At present it is over 92 cents per bushel, and if your present wheat crop had been sold at Democratic prices it would have left you $21,000,000 less than you have today.

"For oats the Democratic price was 16 cents; for barley, 22 cents, and for potatoes, 27 cents, and for hay, $2.70 a ton. The Republican prices gave to the farmers of Kansas for the crop of oats, barley, potatoes and hay in 1907 over $18,000,000 in excess of what they would have received if they had sold those crops at the Democratic prices which prevailed all over Kansas in 1896, after the Democrats had run the government for four years.

Tariff Helped Farmer.

"You have increased the value of your horses over what you had in 1896 from about $16,000,000 to $96,000,000.

"The same is true of other stock.

"Of course the argument is that this was not due to Democratic rule, but as a matter of fact, in Harrison's administration you had no such prices. You had them in Cleveland's administration, after the Gorman-Wilson tariff bill, and just as soon as the Republicans came in again and passed the Dingley bill, the prices began to rise, you had a good market and you have been prosperous ever since.

"I ask in heaven's name how sensible people can take the power out of the hands of the party that has made such prosperity possible and put it in the hands of a party whose record is what I have given."

Pennsylvania farmers are keenly interested in this tariff agitation. The tobacco growers of Lancaster county all appreciate the fact that without the protection which two representatives in the United States senate give them in that body and a large majority of Republican representatives in the house command, they would be seriously handicapped.

The iron, coal, manufacturing and other important interests of the Keystone state would be similarly affected by any serious disturbance of present tariff conditions.

All admit that there must be tariff revision, but Pennsylvanians demand that this service shall be done by Republican protectionists—not Democratic free traders.

Phonograph, Too, Is Silent.

None of the Bryan phonograph records has the speeches advocating free silver and immediate government ownership of the railways, nor have they the "great commoner's" attacks on Roger Sullivan, Colonels Watterson and Guffey. These omissions tell an important story.—Brookville Republican.

Why Does He Kick?

As Mr. Bryan made all his money under Republican administration, what is he really kicking about, anyway?—Fulton Republican.

DESCRIBED DYING MOMENTS.

Physician Took Poison and Death Stopped Movement of Pen.

Cincinnati, Oct. 6.—With the hand of death upon him, Dr. J. J. Blair, sixty-one years old, a wealthy manufacturer of medicines, described in writing his sensation. The poison that he swallowed, cyanide of potassium, was too quick for him, however, and he probably did not record as much of the final passing as he planned.

"I feel the soul fleeing," were the last words he wrote. The pen with which he had been writing was still clutched in his fingers when his young wife reached the body.

Pulliam's Ruling Upheld.

Cincinnati, Oct. 6.—The board of directors of the National league, in session here considering the merits of the disputed game on Sept. 23 between the Chicago and New York clubs, upheld President Harry C. Pulliam's ruling of a tie. This decision is final, and neither Mr. Brush nor Mr. Murphy can make any appeal except to the courts. The directors declared that the Chicago team must play the game over at the Polo grounds, New York city, if the New York club so elects.

Hartford Celebrates Bridge Opening.

Hartford, Conn., Oct. 6.—To see the largest bridge that spans the Connecticut and has been in construction for three years about 50,000 visitors flocked to this city. The municipal and civic parade under General Edward Schultze as grand marshal called out twenty-five military organizations. For two days an elaborate list of festivities will be kept up.

Wyoming county Court convened on Monday with Judge Charles E. Terry and associate judges John Edwards of Laceyville, and George Vaughn of Mehoopany on the bench.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Nellie Weaver and Earl D. Hammond both of Sayre, on Wednesday evening, Oct. 14, at the Church of the Redeemer in Sayre at 8:30 p. m.

Since the appointment of receivers, plans for financing the P., B. & E. railroad to completion have been working out satisfactorily, and an early resumption of constructive operations is predicted.—Troy Gazette-Register.

Rev. W. S. H. Heermans on the island farm this Summer besides raising nice crops of corn, tomatoes, potatoes, etc., has also raised some very large sunflowers. Some of them measure 20 inches across the top and stand 15 feet high.

Louis G. Grant has resigned his position in the Citizens bank and will again go on the road for the Cudahy Packing company. He will have territory in New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio.—Waverly Sun. Mr. Grant formerly resided in Towanda.

Willis Harnden, representing Blumer & Zachau company, manufacturers and dealers in furs, of Syracuse, N. Y., will be at the Ward House, Towanda, on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, and will be pleased to make estimates on special fur sets, and garments, also for repairs and remodel work.

The new woman's building at State College will be dedicated with appropriate exercises on Friday, Oct. 16.

The forty-fourth annual convention of the Pennsylvania State Sabbath School association will be held in Shamokin on Oct. 14, 15 and 16.

Curious Phenomenon.

Says the Tunkhannock Republican-New Age: "A curious phenomen, but one that elderly people say they have often noted, occurred the latter part of the week. It was the sudden rise of water in wells, springs and even streams, though no rain fell until the following Monday. Where the water comes from and why the water courses feel the impulse of the coming storm is a mystery. Old residents were certain that a storm was near when they observed it."

Says He Will Be Back.

Just as we was about to leave the jail at Coudersport to take the train for the Western penitentiary Saturday morning, Sept. 19, Earl Finch, the fiend who burnt the property of Delos Boom of Hector, and tried to burn up the entire family, said, 'Never mind, I will be back and square up with that judge, some day.'"

Teachers' Examination.

Examinations for permanent certificates will be held at the court house in Towanda, Friday and Saturday, Oct. 9 and 10. Any teacher who desires to take additional subjects will please notify the committee at once: George E. Rogers, Athens; F. S. Woolsen, Camptown; Mrs. C. R. Stiles, Towanda.

Famous Campaign Speaker Coming.

At the Republican mass meeting to be held in Towanda next week, one of the best orators in all Pennsylvania will be present in the person of Hon. Grant F. McGlathery of Montgomery county. He is a speaker of national reputation.

STEWART DECLARED UNFIT.

Medical Board Reports Colonel Incapacitated For Active Service.

Washington, Oct. 6.—The medical board of army officers in the case of Colonel William F. Stewart, who was placed in command of the ungarrisoned post at Fort Grant, Ariz., by President Roosevelt, reported that officer incapacitated for active service "on account of heart disease, which he first exhibited thirty-four years ago." This action does not end the case. Colonel Stewart will present testimony and produce witnesses of his own before a retiring board.

Chicago School Children Underfed?

Chicago, Oct. 6.—An investigation of the reports that thousands of school children were underfed has just been ordered by the city council. The committee on schools was instructed to inquire into the situation and recommend measures of relief.

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ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW.

Movements of Many People Are Tersely Told Here.

S. D. Molyneux was down from Dushore Saturday.

A Republican club has been organized in Waverly.

The woods are being scoured by hunting parties.

F. J. Boland of Marshview, spent Tuesday in Towanda.

Owego amateurs are to give "Priscilla," a musical opera.

Church street, Athens borough, is to be improved with state aid.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Booth of Waverly, a daughter.

Born, Oct. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Roof of Standing Stone, a son.

Mrs. Edwin S. Balch of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. William Little.

The front of the Ward House block is being beautified with a new coat of paint.

Mrs. C. E. Armstrong of Troy, is the guest of her father, Cap. James Bryant.

Susquehanna hopes to have free mail delivery this winter or early next spring.

D. S. Elliott and F. Elliott of Vawter, were among the many in Towanda on Saturday.

Edwin F. Loomis, the well known Athens mandolinist, has joined a concert company.

Miss Rose Marks went Tuesday to New York to study music at the Metropolitan Institute.

W. M. Snyder and Miss Bess Snyder of Sheshequin, were in Towanda Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Carroll have returned to Pittsburg, after a week's visit in Towanda.

Born, Oct. 2, to Mr. and Mrs. James English of Scranton, formerly of Towanda, a daughter.

A subpoena in divorce has been awarded in the case of Luella H. Taber vs. Adelbert H. Taber.

Mrs. Bushnell and children have returned from Wesauking, and taken apartments at the Ward house.

Mrs. G. W. Kipp and daughter, Mrs. George G. Johnston have returned from a week's visit in Philadelphia.

A marriage license was issued on Saturday to Walter Merritt of Laceyville, and Mildred Gould of Wyalusing.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Wilson of Tacoma, Wash., are spending some time with Raymond West, Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Harris are spending a few weeks with the gentleman's sister, Mrs. A. Wells, near LeRaysville.

Rev. J. J. Coroner, pastor of the Church of SS. Peter and Paul, has returned from an extended European trip.

Leslie Passage of Wyalusing, who is very ill with typhoid fever, has been taken to the Packer hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Lucy Scovell has returned to her home in Millerton, Pa., after a visit with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Miss Antonia Loewus has returned to her home in Towanda from a three months' trip through Germany and Austria.

Mike Madigan, the Towanda ball player, has been reserved by Scranton for next season. He may play first base.

Mrs. Harry Harkness has returned to her home in Binghamton, after a stay of six weeks with her parents in Towanda.

Miss Katherine Deegan of Fairmont, W. Va., formerly of Towanda, is visiting relatives and friends in Towanda and Sayre.

Miss Harriet Howard of Homets Ferry, who has been the guest of Miss Marietta Meredith, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. C. H. Jennings and Miss Jennings go today to New York city, and from there to West Virginia to remain for a month.

Peasley Carr of Herrickville, and Perry Vanderpool of Towanda, start today for Merridan, Miss., where they have good positions.

The Theta Sigma is planning on giving a vaudeville entertainment in the opera house some evening during the first week in November.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Charles Gori, formerly of Sheshequin, to Miss Margaret Millen, at Fort Collins, Colo., Aug. 6.

The regular monthly meeting of the Bradford County Medical society will be held at the Troy House in Troy, next Tuesday, Oct. 15, at 1:30 p. m.

The Pastors' and Laymens' convention of the Owego district, Wyoming conference, will be held in the First M. E. church at Waverly, Oct. 12-15.

Kenneth Page of Athens, has taken a position in the University of North Dakota, as instructor in mechanical drawing and electrical engineering.

F. H. Johnson, district deputy great sachem, went to Wyalusing Saturday night and raised the chiefs of the Go-Hon-to-to Tribe of Improved Red Men.

Miss Marie Foyle, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Foyle, has returned to her position as cashier at Hotel Manhattan, in New York city.

Wilbur Head, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Head Friday afternoon was host to a number of his young friends, the occasion being the sixth anniversary of his birth.

Mrs. Jno. McIntosh of Elmira Heights, and Mrs. C. E. Faust of Punxsutawney, who have been spending a week in Wysox, are calling on Towanda friends.

John Innes., Jr., and Delos Thomas of Canton, have gone to Peoria, Ill., to enter the Bradley Polytechnic school, where they will take a course in watchmaking and engraving.

HEADQUARTERS UNCHANGED.

Lehigh Supervisor Kane Given Additional Territory—Splendid Record.

Commencing Oct. 1, on account of abolishing the Pennsylvania division of the Lehigh Valley railroad and the extending of the Wyoming division to Athens, W. H. Kane, supervisor of trackage, will have charge of tracks between Athens and Coxton, the Montrose branch from Tunkhannock to Montrose and the State Line and Sullivan branch from Towanda to Bernice. This change gives Mr. Kane 16 miles more of double track and 27 miles more of single track than what he has had. His headquarters will remain at Towanda.

Mr. Kane is a practical railroad man, starting in as a track laborer, working up to a foreman, and nine years ago was picked out as a supervisor from 50 other foremen, he having the best kept section on the division. The tracks between Towanda and Coxton at the present time, under Mr. Kane's supervision, are in the best of condition, being second to none on the entire Lehigh system.

Under the supervision of Mr. Kane, the Montrose branch has been changed from narrow to standard guage, and the main line of the Lehigh over this division has been stone ballasted. He has taken great pride in his work on the Lehigh, and besides doing everything well, has established a world's record for the laying of steel rails.

TWO-CENT POSTAGE TO ENGLAND

The New Cheap Rate Takes Effect Today.

The arrangeemnt made between Great Britain and this country dealing with a cheaper rate of postage, took effect October 1, and it will undoubtedly be the means of considerably augmenting the already large quantity of mail shipped from one country to the other week by week.

The order which was issued reads as follows:

"It is hereby ordered that commencing on the first day of October, 1908, the postage rate applicable to letters mailed in the United States, addressed for delivery at any place in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland shall be two (2) cents an ounce or fraction of an ounce.

"Letters unpaid or short paid shall be dispatched to destination, but double the deficient postage calculated at said rate, shall be collected of the addressee upon the delivery of the unpaid or short paid letters."

Trouble in Ulster Township.

Monday Chief of Police Miller received a telephone message from Saco, in Ulster township, to be on the lookout for three men who have been committing depredations in that section. On Monday night, a man named Schoonover, living on Moore's hill, in Ulster township, heard noises outside his house, armed himself with a revolver and went out to make an investigation. He found three men who began to stone him. He fired his revolver, and before taking to their heels one of the men threw a stone which felled Schoonover. They put in an appearance at Saco Monday and left in the direction of Towanda. They are believed to be the same parties who bound, gagged and robbed Mrs. Gray in Ulstr township last Thursday.

Good Day for Cupid.

Despite the inclement weather, Thursday, "the big day" of the fair, was a good one for Daniel Cupid, no less than four marriage licenses being issued by the register and recorder. They were to: Winfield S. Brenchley of Forksville, and Lillian Rosbach of Eldredsville; Fayette A. Clink and Grace Mae Shiffer, both of LeRaysville; John Selleck of Powell, and Lydia E. Arnold of Franklin; Gaylord A. Young and Nellie Bailey, both of Troy.

Republican Meeting.

The regular weekly meeting of the Towanda Republican club was held in the grand jury room last evening, and was very largely attended. Charles E. Mills, Esq., of Athens, candidate for representative, and Hon. Louis Piollet of Wysox, a former member of the state assembly, delivered good addresses. Impromptu speeches were made by R. A. Mercuh, Esq., and others in attendance at the meeting.

Ready for the Roof.

Says the Monroeton Enterprise: "The main building for the Hottenstine factory is up and nearly ready for the roof. The boiler and engine have been placed and the machinery is now being moved from the old plant in Overton. While digging for the foundation a fine vein of water was tapped, which came very acceptable for mixing the concrete. The boiler will also take water from the same source."

Orphans' Court News.

Estate of Asa M. Quick, late of Wilmot township, deceased, public sale of real estate decreed. Estate of L. J. Kendall, late of Athens borough, deceased, Katie Kendall, administratrix, discharged. Estates of Elnora, Gertrude and Thomas Eugene Griffin, minor children of Timothy A. Griffin, late of Laquin, deceased, Thomas S. Greene appointed guardian.

Funeral of Mrs. Wilmot.

The funeral of the late Mrs. A. N. Wilmot of Rome, will be held at Rome this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the body will be taken to Tunkhannock on Thursday for burial.

Mr. Bancroft Will Lecture.

Frederick W. Bancroft of Boston, the great tenor, will give his lecture, "Scottish Songs and Singers," in the M. E. church, Wednesday evening, Oct. 14. He will illustrate his lecture by singing Scottish songs and ballads.

DEEDS RECORDED.

With Location of Lands, Names of Parties and Consideration.

South Creek Twp.—Sept. 24, 1908. Heman Lewis to Lars M. and Celia A. Johnson; 50 acres, $700.

Sayre Boro.—Sept. 18, 1908. Robert L. Heflin to Ella Heflin; lot, $1.

Sayre Boro.—Sept. 21, 1908. Emma D. and Charles J. Hill to A. L. Laws; lot, $1.

Orwell Twp.—Sept. 2, 1908. Estate M. H. Laning to Nancy R. Whitaker; 82 acres, $2,0000.

Overton Twp.—Sept. 26, 1908. J. Monroe Ayers and wife to William H. Relyea; lots, $1.

Athens Boro.—Dec. 19, 1907. The Sayre and Athens Real Estate Co., to Andrew M. Hildebrant; lot, $250.

Litchfield Twp.—Sept. 22, 1908. Josephine and James H. Weeks to John Grimley; 20 acres, $200.

Sayre Boro.—Sept. 12, 1908. Martin Ozwold to Synthia J. Brundage; lot, $5,301.

Towanda Twp.—Sept. 26, 1908. Estate George M. Mace to Emily L. Rice; lots, $1,400.

Towanda Twp.—Sept. 28, 1908. Emily L. Rice to Elizabeth R. Mace; lots, $1.

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Windham Twp.—Feb. 15, 1908. Elizabeth and Leonard D. Andrews to Fred D. Johnson; lots, $10.

Wilmot Twp.—July 30, 1908. Fred Horton and wife to John B. Sharts; lot, $1,075.

Monroe Boro.—Sept. 22, 1908. Waldo Stewart and wife to Maria D. Fowler; lot, $1.

CORYLAND.

Buckwheat is yielding good in this vicinity.

All crops are gathered but apples, and they are being picked.

John M. Gressitt of Baltimore, Md., was the guest of W. T. Gustin the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Wolfe were Sunday guests of friends in Elmira.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfe attended the Towanda fair last Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Biddle were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gustin, and also visited their brother, S. C. Gregg, who is very ill.

O. P. Knapp of Elmira, was in town Sunday.

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The Markets.

The market reports in the Reporter-Journal and Republican are corrected every week.

Towanda Provision Market.

Butter	24c.
Eggs	23c.

General Markets.

New York, Oct. 6.

BUTTER—Creamery, specials, 28c.; extras, 27½c.; firsts, 23a26c.; seconds, 20½a22c.; thirds, 18a19½c.; held, specials, 26½a27c.; extras, 25½a26c.; state dairy, tubs, finest, 25c.; good to choice, 22a24c.; common to fair, 18a21c.; process, specials, 23c.; extras, 22c.; firsts, 19a20c.; seconds, 17a18c.; thirds, 15a16½c.

CHEESE—State, full cream, specials, 13¼a14¼c.; small, colored or white, fancy, 13c.; large, colored or white, fancy, 12½c.; good to prime, 12a12½c.; common to fair, 10¼a11¾c.; skims, 1½ pound specials, 10¾c.; fine, 8¼a9¼c.; fair to good, 5a7¼c.; common, 3½a4½c.; full skims, 2a3c. Note.—The classification of specials includes Young Americas, Daisies and small sizes of flats of very high quality.

EGGS—State, Pennsylvania and nearby, selected, white, fancy, 35a37c.; fair to choice, 28a34c.; lower qualities, 25a27c.; brown and mixed, fancy, 30a32c.; fair to choice, 26a29c.; lower grades, 23a25c.

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WEST FRANKLIN.

Mrs. Mabel Wilcox spent Friday at her home here.

J. S. Mott is visiting his daughter, Mrs. E. B. Hix, in Albany, N. Y.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crayton, Sunday, Sept. 27, a daughter.

Harry Collins of Traverse City, Mich., visited at D. U. Austin's the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Wilcox went to East Canton Saturday to attend the funeral of his uncle, E. B. Hoagland.

Charles Wiggins has moved his family to Speedsville, N. Y., where he recently purchased a farm.

There will be a leap year social at the Grange hall, Friday evening, Oct. 9. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Proceeds for the benefit of M. E. church

SPRINGFIELD.

Mrs. Emaline Sharp went to Philadelphia Saturday for a two weeks' visit with her daughters.

Dana Gates and wife and children visited at Edson Harkness' Saturday.

Martha Phillips entertained the Misses Sadler of Troy, over Sunday.

Joseph Ripley and wife of Harrisburg were over Sunday guests of Mrs. Frank Ripley.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gilbert of Kirkland, Washington state, called at Mrs. Henrietta Bliss' Sunday.

Mrs. Richard Burnham was in Williamsport last Thursday.

Persol Wolcott underwent the second operation for the amputation of his leg last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Oliver and Mrs. H. I. Adams and two children of Elmira, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Oliver.

RUMMERFIELD.

Dr. and Mrs. Kingsley and daughter visited at P. V. Fisher's Sunday.

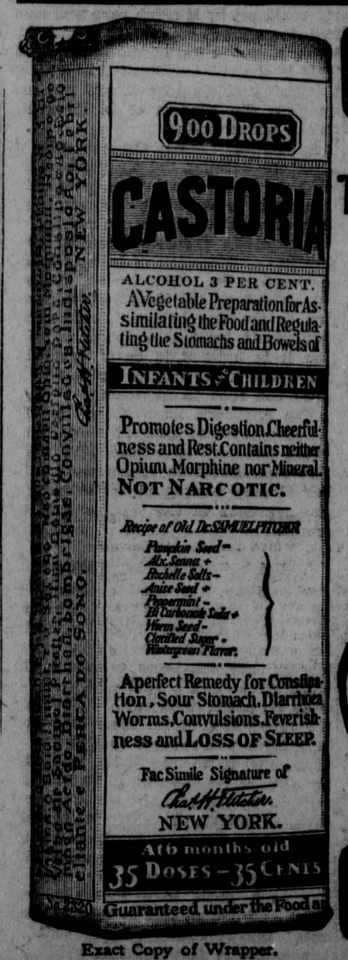
Mr. and Mrs. McPherson of Herrick, visited their daughter, Mrs. Joe Proof, Sunday.

Mrs. Jessie Claggett and son are visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Lundy, at Mercur.

Miss Helen Landmesser of Pittston, is visiting here.

Mrs. Richard Vail of Sayre, visited her parents on Sunday.

Ernest Thall is visiting in New Albany this week.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LUTHERS MILLS.

The event of Saturday evening was in every respect a complete success. All were impressed with the unusually artistic decoration of the room as well as the choice entertainment given. With a few appropriate remarks upon the importance of showing much enthusiastic interest in the welfare of the school, Principal Morley suggested the singing of "America" as a fit beginning.

Miss Mary Morgan then gave such a fine rendering of "Summertime" that the lusty cheers of the audience soon brought her to the front again. This time she sang "Down in the Old Cherry Orchard." After Prof. Morley's solo which followed a selection of instrumental music by Job Morley, accompanied by Mrs. T. J. Waters, the faculty of the school gave a very droll presentation of "Courtship under Difficulties." This number in connection with the encores, ended the program. With merriment accompanying socials of this kind, the ladies sold their toes at auction to the highest bidder. The returns of the sales netted $14 to be used in purchasing singing books and building cement walks about the grounds. A musical contest ended the evening, in which Miss Clara Ross won the prize, a bunch of gladioh, phlox and China asters.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Morgan spent last week at Leander Overpeck's at Herrick.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. Charles Gustin Thursday, Oct. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Isabelle at Ulster on Sunday.

Miss Florence A. Lane left Tuesday for Raleigh, N. C., where she expects to spend the winter.

Mrs. John Bennett and children have returned from a two weeks' visit with her sister at Montour Falls, N. Y.

GILLETT.

Rev. E. B. Dwyer, pastor of the Baptist church of this place, will exchange pulpits with the Rev. Frederick Baker of Galeton, who conducted a series of meetings here last winter, on Sunday, Oct. 11.

Gillett Grange, No. 884, will give the fourth degree to a number of candidates and serve the accompanying feast to the members and their families on Thursday night of this week.

John Pitt of Corning, came Sunday night of this week to visit his father, Luke Pitt, who is very ill.

Joseph Dean is visiting his brother, G. S. Dean, who has been very ill with quinsy.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Havens of Elmira, visited at Wilmot Goodon's and called on other friends Sunday last.

C. S. Berry, who is 76 years old, planted, cared for, cut, husked and carried to his corncrib in a bushel basket about 70 bushels of corn. Quite a feat for a man of his years, besides painting his own house, giving it three coats of paint and caring for his garden and two cows.

Mrs. Seeley Gordon is entertaining company from Owego.

Miss Ruth Dwyer entertained her Sunday school class in honor of her eleventh birthday on Wednesday evening, Sept. 30.

Mrs. Ellen Welch entertained the Ladies' Aid society at her home on the hill near Gillett on Thursday last. After the business and work hour, Mrs. Welch invited the ladies to her dining room where she served ice cream and cake with oranges and bananas. Mrs. Ralph Welch assisted in receiving and serving. A vote of thanks was given Mrs. Welch for the hospitable manner in which she entertained the society.

SAYLES.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Schrader and sons and Mrs. Josephine Jennings of Powell, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Schrader Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McKean visited in Towanda Monday.

Mrs. Wealthy Kunzman and Mrs. Martha Brown are visiting friends in Powell this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Colton of LeRoy, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Allen of West Franklin, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Woodin.

Mrs. R. A. Holcomb of Sayre, is visiting friends in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram McKeel and Mr. and Mrs. Syvelon McKeel attended the anniversary at Mrs. Amanda Reubert's, South Burlington, Sunday.

Mrs. Olive Woodin has in a new lot of Fall and Winter millinery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Alexander spent Monday at Carbon and Laquin.

Fred Lyon and Martin Cary of Evergreen, and Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Steele and son Ira, of Pension Street, Burlington, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cary Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodin and sons Don and Clarence, spent Sunday with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Cary Horan, Mountain Lake.

Many ills come from impure blood. Can't have pure blood with faulty digestion, lazy liver and sluggishh bowels. Burdock Blood Bitters strengthens stomach, bowels and liver, and purifies the blood.

MOUNTAIN LAKE.

Mrs. Mary Ann Thurston of Sayre, spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Theron Sellick.

Glenn Allen is very ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ross of Caro, Mich., are spending a few weeks at J. W. Nichols'.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wiggins and children of Franklin, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Dell Wiggins.

Llewellyn Allen entertained the following small people at a nutting party at his home on Saturday: Mildred Swartwood, Carlton Swartwood, Gerald Allen, Emily Allen and Clifton Allen.

AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION PROPOSED TO THE CITIZENS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

NUMBER ONE.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania so as to consolidate the courts of common pleas of Philadelphia and Allegheny counties, and to give the General Assembly power to establish a separate court in Philadelphia county, with criminal and miscellaneous jurisdiction.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly met, That the following amendments to the Constitution of Pennsylvania be, and the same are hereby, proposed in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:—

That section six of article five be amended by striking out the said section and inserting in place thereof the following:

Section 6. In the counties of Philadelphia and Allegheny all the jurisdiction and powers now vested in the several numbered courts of common pleas, shall be vested in one court of common pleas in each of said counties, composed of all the judges in commission in said courts. Such jurisdiction and powers shall extend to all proceedings at law and in equity which shall have been instituted in the several numbered courts, and shall be subject to such changes as may be made by law, and subject to change of venue as provided by law. The president judge of each of the said courts shall be selected as provided by law. The number of judges in each of said courts may be, by law, increased from time to time. This amendment shall take effect on the first Monday of January succeeding its adoption.

Section 2. That article five, section eight, be amended by making an addition thereto so that the same shall read as follows:

Section 8. The said courts in the counties of Philadelphia and Allegheny respectively shall, from time to time, in turn, detail one or more of their judges to hold the courts of oyer and terminer and the courts of quarter sessions of the peace of said counties, in such manner as may be directed by law: Provided, That in the county of Philadelphia the General Assembly shall have power to establish a separate court, consisting of not more than four judges, which shall have exclusive jurisdiction in criminal cases and in such other matters as may be provided by law.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 1.
ROBERT McAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION PROPOSED TO THE CITIZENS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

NUMBER TWO.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, allowing counties, cities, boroughs, townships, school districts, or other municipal or incorporated districts, to increase their indebtedness.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That section eight, article nine, of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, reading as follows:—

"Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as herein provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein; nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation of property, without the assent of the electors thereof at a public election, in such manner as shall be provided by law; but any city, the debt of which now exceeds seven per centum of such assessed valuation, may be authorized by law to increase the same three per centum, in the aggregate, at any one time, upon such valuation," be amended, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article of said Constitution, so that said section, when amended, shall read as follows:—

Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as herein provided, shall never exceed ten per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein; nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation of property without the assent of the electors thereof at a public election, in such manner as shall be provided by law.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 2.
ROBERT McAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION PROPOSED TO THE CITIZENS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

NUMBER THREE.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing amendments to sections eight and twenty-one of article four, sections eleven and twelve of article five, sections two, three, and fourteen of article eight, section one of article twelve, and sections two and seven of article fourteen, of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, and providing a schedule for carrying the amendments into effect.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following are proposed as amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:—

Amendment One—To Article Four, Section Eight.

Section 1. Amend section eight of article four of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:—

"He shall nominate and, by and with the advice and consent of two-thirds of all the members of the Senate, appoint a Secretary of the Commonwealth and an Attorney General during pleasure, a Superintendent of Public Instruction for four years, and such other officers of the Commonwealth as he is or may be authorized by the Constitution or by law to appoint; he shall have power to fill all vacancies that may happen, in offices to which he may appoint, during the recess of the Senate, by granting commissions which shall expire at the end of their next session; he shall have power to fill any vacancy that may happen, during the recess of the Senate, in the office of Auditor General, State Treasurer, Secretary of Internal Affairs or Superintendent of Public Instruction, in a judicial office, or in any other elective office which he is or may be authorized to fill; if the vacancy shall happen during the session of the Senate, the Governor shall nominate to the Senate, before their final adjournment, a proper person to fill said vacancy; but in any such case of vacancy, in an elective office, a person shall be chosen to said office on the next election day appropriate to such office, according to the provisions of this Constitution, unless the vacancy shall happen within two calendar months immediately preceding such election day, in which case the election for said office shall be held on the second succeeding election day appropriate to such office. In acting on executive nominations the Senate shall sit with open doors, and, in confirming or rejecting the nomination of the Governor, the vote shall be taken by yeas and nays, and shall be entered on the journal.

Amendment Two—To Article Four, Section Twenty-one.

Section 3. Amend section twenty-one of article four, which reads as follows:—

"The term of the Secretary of Internal Affairs shall be four years; of the Auditor General three years; and of the State Treasurer two years. These officers shall be chosen by the qualified electors of the State at general elections. No person elected to the office of Auditor General or State Treasurer shall be capable of holding the same office for two consecutive terms," so as to read:—

The terms of the Secretary of Internal Affairs, the Auditor General, and the State Treasurer shall each be four years; and they shall be chosen by the qualified electors of the State at general elections; but a State Treasurer, elected in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine, shall serve for three years, and his successors shall be elected at the general election in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and in every fourth year thereafter. No person elected to the office of Auditor General or State Treasurer shall be capable of holding the same office for two consecutive terms.

Amendment Three—To Article Five, Section Eleven.

Section 4. Amend section eleven of article five, which reads as follows:—

"Except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, justices of the peace or aldermen shall be elected in the several wards, districts, boroughs and townships at the time of the election of constables, by the qualified electors thereof, in such manner as shall be directed by law, and shall be commissioned by the Governor for a term of five years. No township, ward, district or borough shall elect more than two justices of the peace or aldermen without the consent of a majority of the qualified electors within such township, ward or borough; no person shall be elected to such office unless he shall have resided within the township, borough, ward or district for one year next preceding his election. In cities containing over fifty thousand inhabitants, not more than one alderman shall be elected in each ward or district," so as to read:—

Except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, justices of the peace or aldermen shall be elected in the several wards, districts, boroughs or townships, by the qualified electors thereof, at the municipal election, in such manner as shall be directed by law, and shall be commissioned by the Governor for a term of six years. No township, ward, district or borough shall elect more than two justices of the peace or aldermen without the consent of a majority of the qualified electors within such township, ward or borough; no person shall be elected to such office unless he shall have resided within the township, borough, ward or district for one year next preceding his election. In cities containing over fifty thousand inhabitants, not more than one alderman shall be elected in each ward or district.

Amendment Four—To Article Five, Section Twelve.

Section 5. Amend section twelve of article five of the Constitution, which reads as follows:—

"In Philadelphia there shall be established, for each thirty thousand inhabitants, one court, not of record, of police and civil causes, with jurisdiction not exceeding one hundred dollars; such courts shall be held by magistrates whose term of office shall be five years, and they shall be elected on general ticket by the qualified voters at large; and in the election of the said magistrates no voter shall vote for more than two-thirds of the number of persons to be elected when more than one are to be chosen; they shall be compensated only by fixed salaries, to be paid by said county; and shall exercise such jurisdiction, civil and criminal, except as herein provided, as is now exercised by aldermen, subject to such changes, not involving an increase of civil jurisdiction or conferring political duties, as may be made by law. In Philadelphia the office of alderman is abolished," so as to read as follows:—

In Philadelphia there shall be established, for each thirty thousand inhabitants, one court, not of record, of police and civil causes, with jurisdiction not exceeding one hundred dollars; such courts shall be held by magistrates whose term of office shall be six years, and they shall be elected on general ticket at the municipal election, by the qualified voters at large; and in the election of the said magistrates no voter shall vote for more than two-thirds of the number of persons to be elected when more than one are to be chosen; they shall be compensated only by fixed salaries, to be paid by said county; and shall exercise such jurisdiction, civil and criminal, except as herein provided, as is now exercised by aldermen, subject to such changes, not involving an increase of civil jurisdiction or conferring political duties, as may be made by law. In Philadelphia the office of alderman is abolished.

Amendment Five—To Article Eight, Section Two.

Section 6. Amend section two of article eight, which reads as follows:—

"The general election shall be held annually on the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November, but the General Assembly may by law fix a different day, two-thirds of all the members of each House consenting thereto," so as to read:—

The general election shall be held biennially on the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November in each even-numbered year, but the General Assembly may by law fix a different day, two-thirds of all the members of each House consenting thereto: Provided, That such election shall always be held in an even-numbered year.

Amendment Six—To Article Eight, Section Three.

Section 7. Amend section three of article eight, which reads as follows:—

"All elections for city, ward, borough and township officers, for regular terms of service, shall be held on the third Tuesday of February," so as to read:—

All judges elected by the electors of the State at large may be elected at either a general or municipal election, as circumstances may require. All elections for judges of the courts for the several judicial districts, and for county, city, ward, borough, and township officers, for regular terms of service, shall be held on the municipal election day; namely, the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November in each odd-numbered year, but the General Assembly may by law fix a different day, two-thirds of all the members of each House consenting thereto: Provided, That such election shall always be held in an odd-numbered year.

Amendment Seven—To Article Eight, Section Fourteen.

Section 8. Amend section fourteen of article eight, which reads as follows:—

"District election boards shall consist of a judge and two inspectors, who shall be chosen annually by the citizens. Each elector shall have the right to vote for the judge and one inspector, and each inspector shall appoint one clerk. The first election board for any new district shall be selected, and vacancies in election boards filled, as shall be provided by law. Election officers shall be privileged from arrest upon days of election, and while engaged in making up and transmitting returns, except upon warrant of a court of record or judge thereof, for an election fraud, for felony, or for wanton breach of the peace. In cities they may claim exemption from jury duty during their terms of service," so as to read:—

District election boards shall consist of a judge and two inspectors, who shall be chosen biennially, by the citizens at the municipal election; but the General Assembly may require said boards to be appointed in such manner as it may by law provide. Laws regulating the appointment of said boards may be enacted to apply to cities only: Provided, That such laws be uniform for cities of the same class. Each elector shall have the right to vote for the judge and one inspector, and each inspector shall appoint one clerk. The first election board for any new district shall be selected, and vacancies in election boards filled, as shall be provided by law. Election officers shall be privileged from arrest upon days of election, and while engaged in making up and transmitting returns, except upon warrant of a court of record, or judge thereof, for an election fraud, for felony, or for wanton breach of the peace. In cities they may claim exemption from jury duty during their terms of service.

Amendment Eight—To Article Twelve, Section One.

Section 9. Amend section one, article twelve, which reads as follows:—

"All officers, whose selection is not provided for in this Constitution, shall be elected or appointed as may be directed by law," so as to read:—

All officers, whose selection is not provided for in this Constitution, shall be elected or appointed as may be directed by law: Provided, That elections of State officers shall be held on a general election day, and elections of local officers shall be held on a municipal election day, except when, in either case, special elections may be required to fill unexpired terms.

Amendment Nine—To Article Fourteen, Section Two.

Section 10. Amend section two of article fourteen, which reads as follows:—

"County officers shall be elected at the general elections and shall hold their offices for the term of three years, beginning on the first Monday of January next after their election, and until their successors shall be duly qualified; all vacancies not otherwise provided for, shall be filled in such manner as may be provided by law," so as to read:—

County officers shall be elected at the municipal elections and shall hold their offices for the term of four years, beginning on the first Monday of January next after their election, and until their successors shall be duly qualified; all vacancies not otherwise provided for, shall be filled in such manner as may be provided by law.

Amendment Ten—To Article Fourteen, Section Seven.

Section 11. Amend section seven, article fourteen, which reads as follows:—

"Three county commissioners and three county auditors shall be elected in each county where such officers are chosen, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five and every third year thereafter; and in the election of said officers each qualified elector shall vote for no more than two persons, and the three persons having the highest number of votes shall be elected; any casual vacancy in the office of county commissioner or county auditor shall be filled, by the court of common pleas of the county in which such vacancy shall occur, by the appointment of an elector of the proper county who shall have voted for the commissioner or auditor whose place is to be filled," so as to read:—

Three county commissioners and three county auditors shall be elected in each county where such officers are chosen, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven and every fourth year thereafter; and in the election of said officers each qualified elector shall vote for no more than two persons, and the three persons having the highest number of votes shall be elected; any casual vacancy in the office of county commissioner or county auditor shall be filled, by the court of common pleas of the county in which such vacancy shall occur, by the appointment of an elector of the proper county who shall have voted for the commissioner or auditor whose place is to be filled.

Schedule for the Amendments.

Section 12. That no inconvenience may arise from the changes in the Constitution of the Commonwealth, and in order to carry the same into complete operation, it is hereby declared, that—

In the case of officers elected by the people, all terms of office fixed by act of Assembly at an odd number of years shall each be lengthened one year, but the Legislature may change the length of the term, provided the terms for which such officers are elected shall always be for an even number of years.

The above extension of official terms shall not affect officers elected at the general election of one thousand nine hundred and eight; nor any city, ward, borough, township, or election division officers, whose terms of office, under existing law, end in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

In the year one thousand nine hundred and ten the municipal election shall be held on the third Tuesday of February, as heretofore; but all officers chosen at that election to an office the regular term of which is two years, and also all election officers and assessors chosen at that election, shall serve until the first Monday of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven. All officers chosen at that election to offices the term of which is now four years, or is made four years by the operation of these amendments or this schedule, shall serve until the first Monday of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen. All justices of the peace, magistrates, and aldermen, chosen at that election, shall serve until the first Monday of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen. After the year nineteen hundred and ten, and until the Legislature shall otherwise provide, all terms of city, ward, borough, township, and election division officers shall begin on the first Monday of December in an odd-numbered year.

All city, ward, borough, and township officers holding office at the date of the approval of these amendments, whose terms of office may end in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven, shall continue to hold their offices until the first Monday of December of that year.

All judges of the courts for the several judicial districts, and also all county officers, holding office at the date of the approval of these amendments, whose terms of office may end in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven, shall continue to hold their offices until the first Monday of January, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 3.
ROBERT McAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

BANKRUPT SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to an order duly issued by Hon. John W. Codding, Esq., referee in bankruptcy, the undersigned will sell on the premises described below, on the

13th Day of October, 1908,
At 10 O'Clock in the Forenoon,

all of the real estate herein described free and clear from all leins and incumbrances.

TERMS OF SALE.—The said property will be sold to the highest bidder. One-half the purchase price to be paid when the property is struck down, and the remainder upon the delivery of the proper deed.

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land lying and being in the Township of Sheshequin, County of Bradford and State of Pennsylvania, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a pine knot standing on the South line of land now or formerly owned by C. H. Shepard; thence along said Shepard South line, East as originally run 103 9-10 rods to a post, the Southeast corner of Shepard's farm, thence South as originally run 50 rods to the center of the creek road; thence along the center of the same 40 degrees West as originally run 12 4-10 rods to a stake for a corner; thence West or parallel with South line 103 1-10 rods to a stake corner, thence North 23 degrees East as originally run 64 3-10 rods to the place of beginning, containing 72 8-10 acres of land, more or less, improved with dwelling house, framed barn, outbuilding, etc.

CHAS. E. MILLS,
Trustee in Bankruptcy of Ernest G. French.

NOTICE.

I WILL pay cash for cider apples delivered either at Burlington or Troy.
M. F. Hulslander. s22oct*

WINDFALL.

One of the best base ball games played on the local diamond this season was that of Saturday between Granville and Columbia X Roads. Merritt and Rockwell were the battery for Granville. Granville made the winning score in the ninth inning with no one out, winning the game 7 to 6.

Mr. and Mrs. George Foust and three children are visiting relatives at Milton.

Miss Lou Hawthorne is attending school at Canton.

Lewis Hay of Elmira, was in town over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clark were at the Milton fair last week.

Mrs. Harding Clark and Miss Goldie Clark visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark at Springfield last week.

Itching, torturing skin eruptions, disfigure, annoy, drive one wild. Doan's Ointment brings quick relief and lasting cures. Fifty cents at any drug store.

BARCLAY.

Mrs. W. R. Goodnough, who has been a patient at the Mercy hospital in Wilkes-Barre, for the past three weeks, returned home on Sept. 30. Her many friends will be pleased to learn that she is improving rapidly.

Miss Margaret Deegan and Miss Bertha Kapp called at Barclay Tuesday.

Mrs. W. W. Matchett and daughter, and Miss Laura Hall were callers here Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stone were visited by friends from Williamsport.

Miss Louise Goodnough came home from Buffalo on a leave of absence on account of her mother's return from the hospital, to remain for some time.

FRANKLINDALE.

Mr. and Mrs. John Trenchard of Athens, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Arthur Williams of Susquehanna county, visited at William Brown's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Rauner of Sayre, visited at H. Brown's Monday.

O. W. Fawcett of New Albany, is reroofing his barn on his farm here.

A small china doll baby was found in the crop of a rooster killed by Will Brown recently for a Sunday dinner.

COLUMBIA CROSS ROADS.

Mrs. James Thrall and son are visiting Mr. Thrall in New York.

W. J. Vickery and family went to Roaring Branch by auto Saturday, returning Sunday.

A. J. Strong and T. S. Blake were in Elmira Sunday.

John Gernert was home from Elmira Saturday.

Jud Hagerman is moving into the Frank McCarrick house.

Review small ads pay.

POLITICAL NOTICE.

Office of Chas. M. Hall,
Attorney-at-Law.
Towanda, Pa., Sept. 22, 1908.

To the Voters and Taxpayers of Bradford County:

Nominated for the high office of Prothonotary of Bradford County, and unable for many reasons, to make a personal canvass, I ask your votes for said office.

If elected, I will faithfully attend to all duties of the office. I proved when Register and Recorder, that an officer could live on less fees than the exhorbitant and unreasonably high fees of the 1868 Fee bill. In view of present hard times, taxpayers ought to have substantial reduction in fees, in accordance with decreased ability to pay. Such proper reductions I promise.

Believing the Primary Election law of 1906, unconstitutional, unjust and burdensome, in compelling candidates for small as well as large offices, who have incurred no expense whatever, to pay the Prothonotary for filing a statement therewith, a burdensome fee, I do hereby pledge myself, that if given the opportunity by the voters of all parties, to make no charges whatever for filing certificates of said candidates whether elected or defeated. This will be in line with free soldiers' pension vouchers, first begun as Register and Recorder in 1891, by me.

CHAS. M. HALL.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the Voters of Bradford County:

Please observe the following resolutions passed by the Democratic County Convention, held August 29, 1905, viz.:

"Whereas, Taxation is the most burdensome ever known in the history of the State, and whereas, it has been conclusively proven that the actual cost of boarding jail prisoners does not exceed 25 cents a day, we demand that the same shall be reduced to that amount. We further demand that the salary paid the County Treasurer, which now is over $3,000 a year, shall be reduced to a sum not exceeding $1,200 a year. We ask patriotic citizens of all parties to unite with us for retrenchment and reform."

Believing it my duty to abide by my party resolutions, therefore I hereby declare that if I am elected as County Treasurer at the ensuing November election, that I shall perform all the duties pertaining to the office of County Treasurer for the salary of $1,200 a year, or less if so made by the authorties that fix the same.

N. F. WALKER, Surveyor,
Athens, Pa.
Democratic Candidate for County Treasurer. 3sept-2m

Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.

In the District Court of the United States for the Middle District of Pennsylvania. In Bankruptcy.

Int the matter of The Troy Shoe Company, Limited, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy. No. 1240.

To the creditors of The Troy Shoe Company, Limited, of Troy, in the County of Bradford, and the District aforesaid, a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of September, A. D., 1908, the said The Troy Shoe Company, Limited, was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned referee, in the Borough of Towanda, Pa., on the 5th day of October, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

JOHN W. CODDING,
24sept Referee in Bankruptcy.

Administratrix's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of John Brown, deceased, late of Albany Township, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

AMANDA BROWN HAVERLY,
Administratrix.
Sept. 3, 1908.

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of William Pickering, deceased, late of the Township of Rome, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

W. G. GORDON, Executor.
Sept. 1, 1908.—6t

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of John H. Beardsley, deceased, late of Herrick, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

WILLIAM T. MOORE, Executor.
Rummerfield, Pa., R. F. D. 14.
Aug. 31, 1908.—s8oct*

NOTICE.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County:

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the said Court on the 5th day of October, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m., under the Act of Assembly entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, by C. J. Dunn, C. W. Youngman, Paul E. Maynard, Stephen T. Danton, Henry P. Simms and others, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the "Keystone Assurance Society," the character and object of which is to unite persons between the ages of one and sixty years, of good social and moral character, as members in a beneficial society for beneficial and protective purposes, by providing for the payment of benefits to its members, or their beneficiaries in case of death, sickness temporary or permanent disability, in weekly amounts as fixed and determined by the by-laws of the society, and to provide for the payment of death benefits in amounts as fixed and determined by the by-laws of the society, on death of members, to their designated beneficiaries, and to that end and purpose to have power to make by-laws for the management of its affairs, and to have, possess, and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the said Act and its supplements.

H. F. MAYNARD & SON,
Solicitors.
Sept. 15, 1908.—3t

Auditor's Notice.

In re assignment of J. A. Shuman for the benefit of creditors.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County. No. 30, February Term, 1908.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Hon. A. C. Fanning, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County, to distribute the funds in the hands of Edward Smith, Assignee of J. A. Shuman, will meet the parties interested for the purposes of his appointment at his office in the Ontario Block, Towanda, Pa., on Monday, the 2nd day of November, A. D., 1908, at 10 a. m., at which time all persons having claims upon said fund will present and prove the same or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

BENJ. KUYKENDALL, JR.,
oct5'08-4t Auditor.

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Cornelius Hurley, deceased, late of Athens and Ridgebury Townships, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

RICHARD M. HURLEY, Executor.
Sept. 7, 1908.—6t*

Administratrix's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Kate Gray, late of the Township of Tuscarora, Bradford County, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

MARY E. GRAY, Administratrix.
Tuscarora, Pa., Sept. 3, 1908. s8oct*

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of Oscar Shores, deceased, late of Sheshequin township, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

EMMA SHORES, Administratrix.
October 5, 1908. 6t

Today's Suggestion by Ellen Stan.

NEAT KITCHEN APRON.

TO be well dressed requires gowns that are in keeping with the time and place. By this is not meant an extravagant expenditure of money on an elaborate wardrobe, but such garments that can be made to answer the purpose of two or three should be chosen. This is an easy matter to accomplish if gone about in the right way. First, a tailored suit should be selected of excellent material.

With the tailored suit is needed plain tailored waists for morning wear and those of the more lacy order for afternoon and evening. Satin, satin surfaced silks and net are favored materials for waists, but those of the wash variety will be worn throughout the season. A waist of net worn with the skirt of the tailored suit and trimmed with bands or folds of the skirt material will make an attractive afternoon costume. The directoire sash of soft silk to match will add much to the appearance of such a costume.

Comfortable kimonos and dressing sacks with suitable skirts and a good supply of undergarments being provided, one can be appropriately dressed for any occasion. An article that is often overlooked, but should be included in every woman's wardrobe, is the kitchen apron. The pattern shown is in four sizes—32, 36, 40 and 44 inches bust measure. It requires 4¾ yards of material 27 inches wide or 4¼ yards 36 inches wide.

Any reader of this paper who desires to secure this pattern may do so by sending 10 cents to this office. Give the number, 2508, state size desired and write the full address plainly. The pattern will be forwarded promptly by mail.

SHOOTING AT HOMETS FERRY.

John Irvine Wounds Young Paul Brown Who Was Whipping Chestnut Tree.

Homets Ferry was the scene of a shooting affray Thursday morning which startled the natives of that section. Paul Brown, young son of Henry Brown, is in the Packer hospital being treated for a gunshot wound in the calf of the right leg, inflicted by John Irvine, a well known resident of Homet's Ferry.

It seems that young Brown, with several companions went on to Mr. Irvine's premises to gather chestnuts without permission. The Brown boy had climbed a tree and was shaking the limbs for those on the ground. In the midst of the work of stripping the tree, Mr. Irvine appeared upon the scene armed with a small rifle, and pointing it at the boy in the tree, fired.

The bullet struck young Brown in the calf of the right leg, and he came out of the tree in a hurry. Dr. J. C. Lee of Herrickville, was summoned and gave the wound attention, advising the removal of the boy to the Packer hospital. He was taken to Sayre on the morning train and at the hospital the bullet was removed.

The wound is not considered serious. No arrest has been made.

Hartshorn Reunion.

On Sept. 17 the annual reunion of the descendants of William L. and Nancy K. Hartshorn was held at the commodious home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Howell, Nichols, N. Y. There were 49 cousins present coming from Binghamton, Lestershire and Nichols, N. Y., and from Athens, Ulster, Potterville, Warren Centre, Orwell, Windham and Columbia, Pa. The day was most pleasantly spent in renewing old ties and forming new ones. A bountiful dinner was served. At the business session the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, S. H. Gleason; vice-president, Lyman Show; treasurer, Eugene Gleason; secretary, Effie A. Alger. A refreshment committee was appointed with Mrs. Ella Sleeper, chairman. Literary committee, Mittie Tuttle, chairman. During the year three persons connected with the family by birth or marriage have passed away: Byron A. Chamberlain of Towanda, Mrs. John Newman, Athens; George Northrup, Athens. Letters weer read from cousins in Petersburg, N. Y., and New York city. A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Howell for their generous hospitality. This being an ideal spot for holding a "gathering of the clan," the invitation to come again next year was thankfully accepted.

Bridging the Chasm.

If any additional proof were needed that the chasm made by the Civil war is closed, Tioga county furnishes the proof. At the recent encampment of the soldiers and sailors of Tioga and Potter counties, held at Hoytville, Dr. J. M. Gentry of Stony Fork, was elected treasurer of the association. Dr. Gentry was a member of the 35th Virginia Regiment in Stonewall Jackson's brigade, and was pitted against Tioga county soldiers on many occasions. He has attended the reunion for several years past, and has now been honored with an office by the forces that he and his companions opposed.

Cheering the Candidates.

At the Family theatre Saturday evening, Mamie Cook, the serpentine dancer closed a successful week's engagement playing to crowded houses. During her clever dancing act pictures of all kinds are thrown upon her with a stereopticon, including the pictures of Taft and Bryan. Both candidates were cheered and hissed in turn, but when the United States flag obliterated all else, the cheering was deafening, showing that the American people, no matter where they are have a great love for the grand old flag.

Gregg Hill Mystery.

Gregg Hill, in Towanda township, has a real mystery. Sunday afternoon while Ulysses McGill and Francis Gregg were walking through the woods near the Gregg school house, they came upon a shirt waist, shoes and other wearing apparel which at one time clothed a woman. The articles were torn in a way which would indicate that the wearer had been handled roughly. What is believed to be blood stains marks some of the garments. As yet no one seems able to explain as to where the garments came from.

Swain Held to Court.

Milton C. Swain of Sheshequin township, who was arrested in Towanda last Wednesday on the charge of carrying concealed weapons, was given a hearing before 'Squire Orcutt yesterday afternoon, and was cutt Monday afternoon. and was jury. District Attorney Mitchell represented the commonwealth. The defendant was not represented by counsel.

Lamp Exploded.

A lamp in the grovery store of C. N. Myers at North Towanda, exploded Friday forenoon, and started a fire which was quickly extinguished with a few pails of water. The damage was slight.

News of the Register's Office.

Letters of administration upon the estate of Burton R. McCabe, late of Rome township, deceased, granted to Florence McCabe. Exemplified copy of the will of Morgan L. Richards, late of the city of Worcester, Mass., deceased, filed. Will of John McGlenn, late of Granville township, deceased, admitted to probate.

After a heavy meal, take a couple of Doan's Regulets, and give your stomach, liver and bowels the help they will need. Regulets bring easy, regular passages of the bowels.

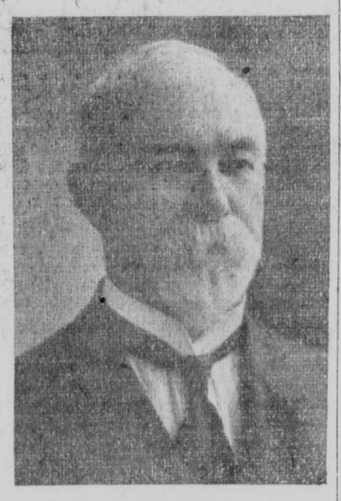
HON. GEORGE. MOSCRIP.

The Record of a Republican Candidate for the Legislature.

George Moscrip was born in Greenock, Scotland, Jan. 23, 1840; came to this country when an infant with his parents, who settled in Herrick, Bradford county, Pa., was educated in the public schools and LeRaysville academy, worked on a farm in the summer and taught school winter, until 1870; became a member of the Grange in 1874, was a charter member of Wappasening Grange, No. 188, and its first Master; is at present a member of Union Grange at West Burlington and is still engaged in farming, being the owner of a farm in Burlington township.

He was employed by Ivison Blakeman, Taylor & Co., to sell school textbooks in 1877 and has continued in the business for the firm and its successors ever since, over 30 years.

Mr. Moscrip has held township offices in Herrick, Windham and Burlington; was elected to the Legislature from this county while a resident of Windham township and served at two sessions, 1875-76.



HON. GEORGE. MOSCRIP.

In 1906 Mr. Moscrip was again elected to the Legislature and with him fourteen other Grangers from the different counties of the state. To the credit of these fifteen men it may be said that at the last session of the State Grange held in West Chester, a rseolution was unanimously passed commending them for having kept every pre-election pledge.

County Fair Bill.

The article known as the County Fair Bill, which was passed at the last session of the Legislature was largely the work of Mr. Moscrip, he having been appointed chairman of a sub-committee to formulate the bill, which passed and received the signature of the Governor. By its provisions Bradford county receives $1,000 per year from the state for its three fairs, the same being divided among them in the ratio of premiums paid by each.

Repeal of the First Section of the Act of 1868. Mr. Moscrip is the author of this bill. The vicious provisions of the act of 1868 read as follows:

"That when any person shall sustain personal injury or loss of life while lawfully engaged or employed on or about the roads, works, depots and premises of a railroad company or in or about any train or car therein or thereon, of which company such person is not an employe, the right of action and recovery in all such cases against the company shall be only as would exist if such person were an employe. Provided, That this section shall not apply to passengers."

It will be seen that by the repeal of this section, Postal Clerks, Farmers loading or unloading cars and Merchants unloading their goods from the cars are put in the same attitude, so far as recovery of damages in case of accident is concerned, as are passengers.

Several Judges have said that this act of 1868 was a disgrace to the State of Pennsylvania.

The Postal Cleks of the State nobly assisted Mr. Moscrip in securing the repeal of this vicious piece of legislation.

Large Sun For Scranton Hospital.

More than $6,300 was collected in Scranton on Saturday for the Hahnemann hospital by means of a "Taggers' Day." A large corps of volunteers, including many of the society people of Scranton, entered into the game of raising funds by tagging people on the streets, receiving in turn a contribution of a size to be determined by the giver, for the benefit of the institution in question.

Who Wants a Baby?

Wanted, a good home for a baby, three weeks old, strong and healthy. The baby is now in the care of Mrs. Mars, of the Salvation Arrmy, Towanda. Reasons for wanting home for little one is that the mother is in very poor health and unable to care for it. Applications for the child should be made to Mrs. Mars, at the local headquarters of the Salvation Army.

"Billy" Munn in Elmira.

"Billy" Munn of Monroeton, who is in vaudeville, is making a hit this week in Elmira, playing at the Happy Hour vaudeville house. The Star-Gazette says his trick violin playing is the smoothest ever seen in Elmira.

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SHOOTING WAS ACCIDENTAL.

Wounding of Paul Brown at Homets Ferry Has Different Phase.

The shooting of young Paul Brown at Homets Ferry on Thursday, by John Irvine, now has an entirely different phase, as an investigation into the details of the affair shows that the wounding of the boy was accidental.

John A. Biles, a well known resident of Homets Ferry, made careful inquiry into the facts of the case, and the result is very much different from the stories told following the shooting. It seems that people had been trespassing on Mr. Irvine's premises to such an extent that considerable damage had been done, and he had notified everybody to stay off his land, going to the parents of children in the neighborhood for that purpose. Wednesday afternoon some one went on the premises and took a large quantity of chestnuts. A man and woman, strangers in that section, were suspected of taking the chestnuts, and naturally Mr. Irvine was very provoked.

Thursday morning one of his neighbors said that some one was in the woods whipping the chestnut trees, and thinking that it was the same party who had been there the evening before, Mr. Irvine took his revolver and started toward the woods which were considerable distance from the house. As he reached a knoll in a field about 40 rod from the woods, he raised his pistol and fired two or three times, holding the revolver at such an angle that the balls would carry over the woods, strike in the top of the trees and thus frighten whoever were after the chestnuts. After firing two or three times he went back to the house, and a few minutes later was notified that Paul Brown had been shot through the calf of the right leg. The boy had been in a tree in a field between where Mr. Irvine stood and the woods into which he was firing. The bullet evidently did not carry up as Mr. Irvine thought it would.

Mr. Irvine claims that he did not see the boy, did not know he was there until it was reported that he had been wounded. He is deeply grieved over the affair.

DEMENTED MAN ARRESTED.

Milton C. Swain's Queer Actions Led to Charges Being Made.

Milton C. Swain of Sheshequin township, a farmer 57 years of age, was arrested in Towanda Wednesday on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. The arrest was made by Chief Miller on a warrant sworn out before Justice Orcutt by J. W. Keating. The justice committed Swain for a hearing on Oct. 5, when it is probable a commission in lunacy will be asked for.

When arrested Mr. Swain had in his pockets a revolver and a stone in a stocking, the latter making a formidable weapon. In his wagon was found a dinner pail, a single-bitted ax and a club. While Mr. Swain is believed to be mentally unbalanced he is said never to have been violent and a large share of his troubles are said to lay at the door of numerous "smart" people who find delight in plagueing one showing "queer" traits.

Swain has had the hallucination that he was interested in a big lawsuit, and every time he came to Towanda has bothered Judge Fanning and attaches of the court house. Yesterday the sight of a revolver sticking from one of his pockets brought matters to a climax.

Ordered to the Stables.

Following the two races Wednesday three road horses were out on the track, and their drivers wanted to race if any one would act as starter. J. E. Graham volunteered to act in that capacity, and D. C. DeWitt volunteered his services as judge. The horses were scored 27 times, when Starter Graham called the drivers up for instructions. They stopped in front of the judges' stand, and one of them inquired "What are the instructions, Mr. Graham?" to which the genial blacksmith replied, "the instructions are that you all trot into the stables, and stay there."

Incendiary Fires at Waverly.

That the burning of the many buildings of late in Waverly is the work of a pyromaniac is the firm belief of the authorities. Three barns have burned inside of 14 days. Saturday night the barn belonging to Nelson Lyon, of Ithaca street, located in the rear of his house, was burned to the ground. The fire was discovered at 8:45 o'clock by a woman who is credited with claiming that she saw a man light a match and drop it near a strawstack just back of the structure.

Real Estate Sold.

At the public sale of real estate at Wysox Saturday, one lot was sold to Mrs. Ella Dyer Rolles for $75, and a dwelling house was purchased by Harry B. Dyer for $485.

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FAIR WAS A SUCCESS.

The Fifty-Sixth Annual Exhibition Came to a Close Friday.

THURSDAY'S BIG CROWD.

Total Gate Receipts For Entire Four Days Fell Seventy Dollars Short of Last Year—Races, Baseball and Balloon Ascentions.

The fifty-sixth annual exhibition of the Bradford County Agricultural society came to a close Friady evening. It was a success in every way.

The total gate receipts for the four days falls $70 below last year's figures, but even at that the fair as a whole was a success. The weather was a big hindrance, it being cold and windy three days, and cold and rainy one day, Thursday, although the attendance that day was a record breaker. The attendance yesterday was about 10,000, way below what it would have been had the weather been more favorable.

The big show passed off without a hitch, there not being an accident or unpleasant incident to mar the pleasures of the throngs. S. Bergen Park, Esq., the secretary, and the board of managers deserve great credit for the manner in which they conducted the exhibition.

Wednesday's Races.

2:35 Class—Purse $150.

Nellie M., b. m.
William Doane, Elmira.....4 2 3
White Seal, g. m.
F. M. Tingley, Elmira.....2 3 2
Option Hal., b. g.
Easter Hal, b. g.
L. M. Charles,Elmira.....1 1 1
J. M. Underwood, Elmira...3 4 4
Time—2:29¼, 2:26¾, 2:29.

2:24 Class—Purse $250.

Phileta Medium, b. m.
H. H. Northrup, Monroeton..1 1 1
Hattie S., b. m.
P. M. Smith, Owego.....2 2 3
Trilby, blk. m.
W. D. Brott, Moravia.....4 4 2
Stella F., b. m.
L. M. Charles, Elmira.....3 3 4
Time—2:29, 2:33, 2:27.

Wednesday's Ball Game.

The base ball game with Sayre and Monroeton the contesting teams, was a very warm affair, in fact it was one of the best games seen in this section in a long while. Sayre won by a score of 3-1. There was considerable squabbling over who would officiate as umpire, the two teams finally agreeing upon E. D. Means, who handled the indicator in a very satisfactory manner, there not being a what might be called a kick registered against his work. Both teams played clean ball, and performed like true sportsmen.

Cotter, of the P. W. Va., was on the mound for Monroeton, with Jesse Madigan, catcher, Meredith at first, McCabe of the New England league, at second, Mike Madigan, of the Scranton State league, at short, Corbett, of the Junior league, at third, Caldwell, of the Depot league, in left field, Carroll of the Sullivan County league, in middle garden, and Dunphy, of the Monroeton league, in right field. At the start it looked as if Cotter, Madigan and McCabe, the big leaguers, together with the other leaguers, would be the whole show, but the shop boys from Sayre, Pa., were every minute playing the game of their lives and winning as before stated by a score of 3-1.

Cotter pitched an excellent game, allowing but four scattered hits, but they were enough to win, that is, with an error or two thrown in. Bailey, "Bill Bailey," from Mansfield, Pa., a southpaw or sidewheel creation with sunny locks and pink cheeks and not a word to say, did the heaving for Sayre, and he was the whole pazaza. He was the big stumbling block, and the best the leaguers could do was to gather in three measley hits, Meredith, McCabe and Cotter collecting the aforementioned bingles.

Bailey was given gilt edge support, not an error being made behind him, and that is how Monroeton was trimmed. Sayre played the best game all around, that they have put up this year, and they deserved and are entitled to the big victory.

Following was Sayre's line-up: Lynch c, Bailey p, Cranmer 1b, Wagner 2b, Strait ss, Misner 3b, Carpenter lf, Childs cf, Matthews rf.

Score by innings:
Monroeton..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
Sayre..... 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 x—3

Summary—Hits off Bailey 3; off Cotter 4. Struck out by Cotter 1; by Bailey 9. Errors, Monroeton 5; Sayre 0. Umpire, E. D. Means of Towanda; official scorer Henry S. Felton.

The Big Day.

The great Bradford county fair attracted nearly fifteen thousand people Thursday, "the big day." Notwithstanding the rain and chilly air, over ten thousand people paid admission to the grounds, thus smashing to smithereens all previous attendance records.

On Thursday of last year, 9,336 paid admissions, and this year's big day attendance will eclipse that by at least one thousand paid admissions. With the life membership, complimentary, exhibitors', helpers', concession and other free tickets, the crowd on the ground at 2 o'clock was nearly fifteen thousand.

And a great big picnic it was for every one. Nothing but good nature on tap everywhere. It rained quite copiously at times, but not enough to dampen the enthusiasm of the outpouring of humanity there to "do the big fair."

Every town within a radius of 60 miles sent out its full quota. The morning train from Wyalusing brought nearly 500, the morning train from Sayre, nearly the same number, the morning train from Ralston and Laquin was loaded to the steps, and then there was not enough room for all those who wanted to reach the City of Promise, then go to the fair.

All wagon roads led to the fair grounds. Families in carry-alls, youths and maidens in smart outfits, the farm team hitched to the largest wagon on the place, were in the processions which could be seen on every road leading to the grounds of the Agricultural society at East Towanda.

The rain held off until about noon, and by that time the grounds were swarming with humanity. The afternoon trains brought at least a thousand more paid admissions. Many people came down from Athens, Sayre, Waverly, and intermediate points on train No. 4, at 1:20, but as it was raining quite hard on the arrival of the train, many did not go to the fair grounds.

At 2 o'clock every seat in the big grandstand was occupied, and the paddock was crowded during the races, while the midway was one great mass of smiling, good natured humanity. The barkers and concessionists were in their glory and worked their brass lined lungs over time, extolling the merits of their respective wares.

And over all was the tempting odor of frankfurters cooking at the eating stands, the roar of the machinery, the beat of the horses hoofs out on the track, the crack of the ball and bat on the diamond, and the screech of the merry-go-round whistle combining to cast the mystic spell that bound them all together into the great Bradford county fair.

Parade of Premium Stock.

The parade of premium stock took place at 11 a. m., and proved quite an attraction. It was one of the finest collections of Bradford county stock ever assembled on a fair ground.

Successful Balloon Ascensions.

Prof. Mansell of Sayre, made two very successful balloon ascensions. His first skyward flight was at 11:30, and the second at 3:30. He went up about 700 feet each time, making pretty parachute drops, landing just outside the grounds. The ascensions greatly pleased the large crowd.

The Races.

Thursday's races were finished in short order and slow time. Both the 2:27 and the 2:17 classes were won in three straight heats. The 2:27 was won by "Milton O"; best time 2:24¼. The 2:17 was taken by "Tom S"; best time 2:24½.

2:27 Class—Purse $200.

Milton O., blk. b.
F. M. Tingley, Stamford....1 1 1
Option Hal., b. g.
L. M. Charles, Elmira.....2 3 3
Nellie M., b. m.
William Doane, Elmira.....4 2 2
Nettie B., b. m.
J. B. Gorsline, Wysox.....3 4 4
Time—27½, 29, 24¼.

2:17 Class—Purse $250.

Tom S., s. g.
P. M. Smith, Owego.....1 1 1
Ora Mapes, b. m.
J. H. Myer, Towanda.....2 2 3
Little Charlie, b. g.
John Dreste, Elmira.....3 3 2
Time—25½, 24½, 27¼.

Sayre Won Game Thursday.

Sayre won the ball game, defeating Ralston by a score of 2-1. The field was wet and slippery, but never theless the game was well played. Ralston had a bad case of stage fright, and that was what lost them the game. Sayre's first run was secured through an error on the part of the Ralston first baseman.

In the eighth inning Ralston had men on second and third bases, and two out. The next batter hit a grounder into right field, and the two men were cantering home when the crowd surged close to the first base line, the Ralston coacher ran into the runner trying to make first with the result he was thrown out when he should have been safe and the two scores counted, making it a win for Ralston. They never had a chance after that. Mahaney pitched for Sayre, and proved a puzzler from start to stop. The Ralston pitcher also heaved an excellent game and should have been returned a winner but for the blunder at first.

Charles B. Meredith of Monroeton, umpired the game in a very satisfactory manner.

The Last Day.

The balloon ascension and horse races were the features Friday. Prof. Mansell made his third successful balloon ascension, carrying out his contract to a letter.

The Races.

The two racing events, the 2:20 and free-for-all, were a little the best of the three day's meet, resulting as follows:

Free-for-All—Purse $300.

Susie Hal, blk. m.
A. B. Woodruff, Elmira.....1 1 1
May Edwards, b. m.
L. G. Marshall, Rome.....2 2 2
Hattie S., b. m
P. M. Smyth, Owego.....3 3 4
Easter Hal, b. g.
J. M. Underwood, Elmira..4 4 3
Best time—2:19.

2:20 Class—Purse $200.

Phiietea Medium, b. m.
H. H. Northrup, Monroeton..1 1 1
Tom S., s. g.
P. M. Smyth, Owego, N. Y..2 2 2
Little Charlie, b. g.
John Dreste, Elmira.....3 4 3
Option Hal, b. g.
L. M. Charles, Elmira.....4 3 4
Best time—2:22.

AGED MINISTER IN DISGRACE.

Confesses Writing Passionate Love Letters to Twelve Years old Girl.

The Rev. A. Manship, nearly 70 years of age and for the past year pastor of the Methodist church in Oswayo, Potter county, is in disgrace, the Coudersport Enterprise says.

He was accused of writing a love letter to little Pansy Lawton, about 12 years old, by his official board, who confronted him with the letter. The proof was so complete and unanswerable that he confessed, when he was promptly notified his services were no longer required.

Pansy Lawton is the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Lawton, who recently moved from Oswayo to Genesee. Soon after the family moved away it is charged that Manship wrote Pansy a very loving epistle. He told her of his love, asked her if she loved him and requested her photograph by return mail. At once the Lawtons notified the official board of the Oswalgo church with the result mentioned.

Manship has a wife and three children. He went to Oswayo from Vineland, N. J., and it is reported he will go back there at once.

Sunday he wanted to preach in the United Brethren church, but those in charge would not admit him. He then went to the Kenyon school house about a mile east, where he held his services.

Manship is not a member of the conference and is used only as a supply. He is apparently an earnest worker and was quite popular with his congregation before his exposure.

628,084 ON PENSION ROLL.

34,333 Veterans Mustered By Death Last Year.

The report of the commissioner of pensions for the fiscal year ending June 30 last, which became public Oct. 1, gives prominence to the fact that during the year there were 34,333 deaths among survivors of the Civil War, who were on the pension roll. This falling off was equal to about five per cent. of the total, and left 628,084 survivors on the roll. The number of deaths of Civil War survivors was 3,132 greater than during the previous year. The total number of pensioners at the end of the year was 951,687. During the year 54,366 pensioners of all classes were dropped and 38,862 added, making a net loss of 15,684. The statement also shows that 188,445 widows of soldiers already have taken advantage of the law of the last session of Congress increasing to $12 a month the pensions of widows.

The actual expenditures for the year on account of pensions was $153,093,086, but, on account of legislation increasing the rate to individual pensioners the annual value of the roll at the close of the year was $159,495,701, an increase of $18,644,821 over the previous year. The expenditure for the year was the largest in the history of the bureau.

The total number of applications for pensions of all kinds pending at the close of the year was 123,483, as against 356,181 pending at the beginning of the year. There are now only a little more than one-third as many claims pending as there were one year ago, and these are being adjudicated as rapidly as the evidence necessary to determine their merits is furnished, as the work of the bureau is now practically current upon all classes of claims.

York Stater Takes Premiums.

C. F. Giles of Spring Brook farm at Apalachin, N. Y., who had his registered flock of Shropshire sheep on exhibition at the Bradford county fair last week won first premium for aged ram, second for yearling ram, first for ram lamb, first for aged ewes, first for yearling ewes, first for ewe lambs, and first and second for best display of thoroughbred sheep. In the fruit department he was awarded first honors for largest and best variety of apples, first for best twelve varieties, first for best lot of fall apples, and first for best display of winter apples.

Blood on the Bridge.

People who visit the new James street bridge are asking where did the trail of blood which runs the entire length of the bridge come from? It is said that a wounded groundhog crossed the structure leaving the gory trail.

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Papers have been drawn for the sale of a 170-acre farm in Speadsville, N. Y., to C. H. Wiggins of Canton, Pa., R. F. D. 72, West Franklin, in the settlement of the estate of the late John Stearns, grandfather of the Blackman Brothers of Ithaca,

The farm was purchased of Leonard Legg, who had received a patent of the property from the government, on Jan. 12, 1827, by John Stearns and the property has been in the possession of the Stearns descendants ever since until this time. The deed transferring the property to Mr. Stearns is in the possession of John Blackman and was recorded in 1830. It was acknowledged before George Blair, commissioner of deeds, who was the father of Austin Blair, the noted war governor of Michigan.

Norman Houser's New Job.

The friends of J. Norman Houser will be pleased to learn of his good fortune in securing the appointment as superintendent of the gold mine of the Sierra Mining company in the state of Chihuahua, Mexico. The plant is a large one with a 15-stamp mill, and the position carries with it a large salary. Mr. Houser is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Houser of River street, and is a Towanda boy who has made good. He was for four years in the employ of the Greene Consolidated Copper company in Mexico, and was in the thick of the Cananea riots of last year.

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